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LAWYERS DISAGREE AND HEARING ENDS

Taking of Testimony in the Steel Trust Probe Closes Temporarily

COMMISSIONER'S OPINION

Dr. Francis Walker Offered In Evidence Table of Prices Upon Which Report Was Based—Attorneys Objected

Washington, D. C., Nov. 19.—Disagreement today over the admissibility of testimony of Dr. Francis Walker, Deputy United States Commissioner of Corporations, as to his opinion regarding the fluctuation of the iron and steel product prices, brought the taking of testimony before Examiner Henry P. Brown, in the United States Steel Corporation dissolution suit, to a sudden, temporary close.

Attorneys for the government and for the Steel Corporation hastened to Philadelphia to lay the question before the three judges of the United States Circuit Court of Appeals at Philadelphia, who will sit for the purpose of this case tomorrow at 10:30 A. M., as the United States District Court for New Jersey. The hearing probably will be resumed here Thursday.

Dr. Walker early in the day offered in evidence tables of prices upon which the Bureau of Corporations based its reports upon the Steel Corporation. Attorneys for the corporation, headed by R. V. Lindabury, and C. A. Severance, objected to them as hearsay, the witness having testified that they were compiled from market prices printed in trade papers, and not from the books of the corporation to which the bureau has access.

The break between the attorneys came when Dr. Walker began to testify about charts, based upon the tables. Fluctuations in prices in the years from 1895 to 1901, the witness testified, showed the absence of an arbitrary control of prices. He characterized periods of lack of fluctuation, after the formation of the Steel Corporation, from 1901 to 1911, as due to the absence of competitive conditions, as a "positive indication of non-competitive control of prices."

The witness proceeded through charts showing the prices of steel rails, beams, plates, bars, sheets and tin plates. The Steel Corporation attorney punctuated his testimony with repeated objections that it was open and argument testimony on a non-expert matter.

Furthermore, they complained, Dr. Walker had not qualified as an expert on this particular matter.

Several times the attorneys for the corporation interrupted the witness, as they stood gazing over his shoulder, to ask that he be "fair," and comment upon years that were favorable to their side.

J. M. Dickinson, special assistant to the Attorney General, protested against such comment upon the witness' testimony and gave notice that he would bring it to the attention of the court tomorrow. Mr. Dickinson objected particularly to the statement of opposing counsel, that Dr. Walker had been sent to the hearing by the Department of Justice "to make an argument."

"This witness refused to testify until he was subpoenaed and directed by his superior, the Secretary of Commerce and Labor, to respond," declared Mr. Dickinson.

Attorneys for the government are anxious to have Dr. Walker's explanatory testimony admitted because it would serve to bring out the bold relief before the judges who pass upon the case what the government contends are the crucial facts of the mass of tables, which are difficult of comprehension by any one except expert statisticians.

The Steel Corporation attorneys, on the other hand, insist that the opinions given are the very points which the courts must decide, namely, whether or not the organization of the Steel Corporation has resulted in a control of prices.

JOHN SCHRANK INSANE.

Commission Will Report on Colonel Roosevelt's Assailant.

Milwaukee, Wis., Nov. 19.—That John Schrank, who shot Theodore Roosevelt on the night of October 4th last, is insane, will be the substance of an unanimous report of the five alienists approached by Judge A. C. Backus, to examine into the prisoner's mental condition, was the statement of court officials this afternoon.

Judge Backus stated late today that the report by the commission would not be presented to the court until Thursday and that he had no idea what the findings would be.

The commission held what was expected would be its last session with Schrank today and it was even while he was being subjected to further questioning by the physicians that the report gained circulation that the prisoner would be adjudged insane.

Presuming that Schrank will be found insane, it will be impossible to try him on the charge of attempting to kill Col. Roosevelt. The only alternative is that confinement in the hospital for the criminal insane at Oshkosh.

COAST LINE STOCKHOLDERS

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Increase of Six Millions [illegible] on Capital Stock of Company cers and Directors Re-elected—Equipment.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Richmond, Va., Nov. 19.—Stockholders of the Atlantic Coast Line in annual session here today authorized an increase of $6,000,000 in common capital stock of the company, making the authorized capital stock to date $76,000,000. The board of directors authorized the issue and sale to stockholders an amount of such capital stock equal to 10 per cent. of the total preferred and common stock outstanding at 3 o'clock P. M. this date.

The proceeds of such sale, with other cash available therefor, will be applied until the work is completed to the payment of a balance of $7,787,378 due on the capital expenditure heretofore authorized by the board of directors for the construction of new branches, additional equipment, permanent bridges and trestles, yards and terminals, shops, double track, creosote and rock crushing plants, automatic block signals and telephone circuits, and to the payment of $6,120,000, the amount of the company's subscription to the increased capital stock of the Louisville & Nashville Railroad Company.

The board of directors of the company declared a dividend of 3 1-2 per cent. upon the common capital stock, payable January 10th, 1913. The transfer books will close December 19th, 1912, at 3 o'clock P. M., and will be re-opened January 11th, 1913, at 10 o'clock A. M.

The board of directors of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company also declared interest at the rate of 5 per cent. upon Brunswick & Western Railroad Company income bonds for the year ending December 31, 1912, the interest being payable at the Safe Deposit & Trust Co., Baltimore, Md., on and after January 2nd, 1913.

Officers were elected by the stockholders as follows:

T. M. Emerson, president, Wilmington, N. C.

Alexander Hamilton, first vice president, Petersburg, Va.

C. S. Gadsden, second vice president, Charleston, S. C.

J. R. Kenly, third vice president, Wilmington, N. C.

R. A. Brand, fourth vice president, Wilmington, N. C.

Directors were elected by the stockholders as follows: H. Walters, Michael Jenkins and Waldo Newcomber, Baltimore, Md.; Warren Delano, New York; F. W. Scott, Richmond, Va.; Alexander Hamilton, Petersburg, Va.; W. W. Mackall, Savannah, Ga.; Donald MacRae and J. R. Kenly, Wilmington, N. C.; J. J. Lucas, Society Hill, S. C.

Lyman Delano and J. F. Post, Jr., both of Wilmington, N. C., were elected temporary directors to fill the position at this meeting, in order to make the board complete.

Officers were elected by the directors aas follows: H. Walters, chairman of the board, New York City; Alexander Hamilton, general counsel, Petersburg, Va.; H. L. Borden, secretary and assistant treasurer, New York; R. D. Cronly, assistant secretary, Petersburg, Va.; Lyman Delano, assistant secretary, Wilmington, N. C.; George B. Elliott, assistant secretary, Wilmington, N. C.; J. F. Post, treasurer, Wilmington, N. C.; J. J. Nelligan, assistant treasurer, Baltimore, Md.; J. Moultrie Lee, assistant treasurer, Savannah, Ga.; Joseph B. Kirby, assistant treasurer, Baltimore, Md.; W. N. Royall, general manager, Wilmington, N. C.; W. J. Craig, passenger traffic manager, Wilmington, N. C.; James Menzie, freight traffic manager, Savannah, Ga.; H. C. Prince, comptroller, Wilmington, N. C.

The executive committee is composed of H. Walters, chairman; Michael Jenkins and T. M. Emerson.

Associated Press Story

Richmond, Va., Nov. 19.—Stockholders of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company, in annual meeting here today, re-elected without change the entire directorate. The directors re-elected all officers. An increase of $6,000,000 in the common capital stock was authorized making the total capital stock $76,000,000. The increase is designed to take care of an increase in the capital stock of the Louisville & Nashville, the controlling interest of which is held by stockholders of the Atlantic Coast Line.

MR. NEAL LEWIS DEAD.

Esteemed Robeson Citizen Passes Away—Patient to Hospital.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Lumberton, N. C., Nov. 19.—Mr. Neal Lewis, residing in Howellsville township, about ten miles from here, died this afternoon at 2 o'clock, as the result of a stroke of paralysis with which he was stricken Sunday. Mr. Lewis was 51 years old and was one of the best citizens of his section. He suffered a stroke of paralysis three or four years ago, and although recovered to a great extent, never fully regained his former good health. Last Sunday he went to spend the day with a neighbor, and while there was stricken. Not being able to be removed to his home, he died at the home of his friend at the hour stated. Mr. Lewis is survived by his aged father, Mr. Durham Lewis, and two brothers, Mr. Herbert Lewis and Sheriff-elect Robert Lewis. The funeral will be conducted tomorrow morning, the interment being in East Lumberton cemetery at 12 o'clock.

Mr. Frank H. Wishart left this evening for Baltimore, where he will enter the Johns Hopkins Hospital for treatment.

EIGHT KILLED IN SEABOARD WRECK

And Three Severely Injured in Head-on Collision Near Norlina, N. C.

ALL VICTIMS ARE TRAINMEN

North and Southbound Passenger Trains Meet at Full Speed—Engineer Probably Misread Orders—Miracle

Norlina, N. C., Nov. 19.—Eight trainmen were killed and three severely injured at 4 o'clock this morning when two Seaboard passenger trains running at high speed crashed head-on seven miles north of here. No passengers were injured.

The dead are:

Will A. Faison, engineer, Raleigh.

Charles A. Beckham, engineer, Raleigh.

Dick Gray, colored, fireman, Raleigh.

Jim Ruffin, colored, fireman, Raleigh.

Tom Bogan, colored, porter, Richmond, Va.

J. R. Rountree, express messenger, Jacksonville, Fla.

O. V. Priddy, express messenger, dead-heading, Boykin, Va.

Henry King, dead-heading.

The injured are:

Baggagemaster Bryant, badly burned about body and face.

Express Messenger Brown, bruises and shock.

Express Messenger Coates, leg and arm broken.

Willis Pope, colored porter, scalded about head and neck.

The trains met as the southbound, No. 81, was coming out of a long curve in a deep fill, and both were running full speed. The crash was terrific, both locomotives being totally demolished. The fact that only three coaches were demolished and there were no passengers in these is considered remarkable.

Engineer Beckham, of the northbound train, is thought to have misread orders to meet No. 81 at Granite, less than a mile from the scene of the wreck. It was impossible for either engineer to have seen the light from the other train for more than a minute before the crash. The collision was on the main line of the Seaboard from North to South, and both were through trains.

The wreckage did not catch fire. Though many passengers were women, there was no panic. There was considerable suffering from the chill of a cold morning, but shortly after the wreck farmers brought coffee to the scene. Wrecking crews and relief trains were sent out hurriedly. The track was clear at 5 o'clock this afternoon.

Lee Reinheimer, a Richmond cigar salesman, was awakened when a woman hurtled into his berth from the compartment ahead of him. She tore a hole cleanly through the thin partition of the sleeper.

Bryan Sends Flowers

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 19.—William J. Bryan, who was detained in Raleigh today by the wreck of two passenger trains, near Norlina, two hours before his train was to leave Raleigh, was detained last January in Raleigh by a similar wreck, also near Norlina. Engineer Beckham, one of the engineers who was killed today, called on Mr. Bryan at the home of National Committeeman Josephus Daniels Monday morning and presented the Nebraskan with a basket of fine tomatoes. Mr. Bryan expressed his grief at the death of the engineer and ordered lilies of the valley sent to Mrs. Beckham, as an expression of sympathy. Later in the day he and Mr. Daniels called at the grief-stricken home.

Express Messenger Dies.

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 19.—Express Messenger Buck Rountree, of Jacksonville, Fla., died at 9 o'clock tonight in Rex Hospital from the injuries he sustained in the Seaboard Air Line collision of trains 81 and 84 near Norlina. This is understood here to make eight deaths.

Rountree was brought here with other injured this forenoon with his legs badly crushed and with internal injuries, and showed no improvement from the beginning of his treatment. His initials could not be ascertained here, nor anything as to his family. He was about 35 years old. This was his first run on this division of the Seaboard Air Line, it is said.

The other injured being treated here are getting along very satisfactorily.

DR. VENABLE ELECTED

Becomes Member of Executive Committee of Universities Association

New York, Nov. 19.—Francis C. Venable, president of the University of North Carolina, was elected a member of the executive committee of the National Association of State Universities which closed its annual convention here today. The final act of the convention was a call by the university heads upon President Taft at the White House.

Dr. Edmund J. James, president of the University of Illinois, was elected president of the association.

ARTILLERY DUEL CONTINUES

Fierce Battle Still Rages Along the Tchatalja Lines and Report That Armistice Has Been Agreed To Was Unfounded

London, Nov. 19.—The report that an armistice had been agreed to by the Bulgarians and Turks along the Tchatalja lines for the burial of the dead appears to have been unfounded. Dispatches from Nazim Pasha, the Turkish commander-in-chief, show that the artillery duel continued through the day.

The Turks claim success against the Bulgarians, but there is nothing to indicate that the Bulgarians have yet made any serious attempt to penetrate the lines. The battle may be ended at any moment by Turkey accepting the allies' terms for an armistice, which are said to include the surrender of the Tchatalja lines, Adrianople, Durazzo and Scutari.

There is a possibility, however, that Turkey may decline to surrender Tchatalja. While her western army has been completely defeated, she still possesses, according to the correspondents at the front, a homogeneous army behind the Tchatalja fortifications, largely composed of some of her best fighting material from the Asiatic provinces which has not yet been in action.

Moreover the demoralization and disorganization which followed the Kirk-Kilisseh and Lule-Burgas retreats appear to have been remedied and the army is now well supplied with food and ammunition.

Under these circumstances the Porte may be induced to make a further stand in the hope of securing easier peace conditions. Evidently Bulgaria has brought up all her available forces to attack Tchatalja, including some of the Servian troops, but the task of crushing the Turkish defense may prove a difficult one.

The prospect of European dissensions arising out of the settlement of the numerous territorial claims to be arranged after the war, becomes daily more menacing. Austria has not presented an actual ultimatum to Servia, setting a time limit for a reply to certain inquiries which she has formulated, but short of that, the relations between the two countries are very strained and Servia's evident intention to take Durazzo will be still another defiance of Austria.

Vice-Admiral Monet Cuccoli, in the Austrian delegation, today warned the members to be prepared for the rise of powerful Balkan navies in the Aegean Sea. This is one of the signs of the rearrangement of Southeastern Europe as a result of the war, which is likely to keep the European chancellories in a state of tension for a long time to come.

Both Austria and Russia are taking measures so they will be prepared for any eventuality. It is reported tonight from St. Petersburg that Russia is purchasing several hundred guns abroad.

According to a dispatch from Belgrade the disposition of Monastir was not provided for by prior agreement by the allies, and likely will cause trouble.

On the other hand the Bulgarians claim that Monastir is situated in a predominantly Bulgarian district, while the Greeks contend that the leading part of the population is of Greek nationality.

The Austrian correspondents consider the breach with Servia over the treatment of the Austrian consuls serious. A Budapest message to the Daily Telegraph says:

"Count Von Berchthold is one to act without faltering when the time

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OUTLINES

Floyd and Claude Allen have been granted a respite until December 13th.

The commission of alenists appointed to examine the sanity of John Schrank, who shot Col. Roosevelt, yesterday reported he is insane.

Atlantic Coast Line stockholders in annual session at Richmond, Va., yesterday authorized an increase of $6,000,000 in common capital stock.

The battery of gunmen accused of the actual killing of Rosenthal were found guilty of murder in the first degree yesterday and will be sentenced to death in the electric chair.

Eight trainmen were killed and three severely injured in a head-on collision between fast nort and southbound trains on the S. A. L. Railway near Norlina early yesterday morning.

The hearing of testimony in the U S. Steel Corporation suit was ended abruptly yesterday when attorneys disagreed over the opinions of Dr. Francis D. Walker, Deputy U. S. Commissioner of Corporations.

Bulgaria's conditions for agreeing to an armistice were transmitted to Constantinople yesterday morning. They were accompanied by Bulgaria's main conditions for peace, the principle stipulation of which permits Turkey to retain Constantinople.

Armed with an infernal machine and a quantity of high explosives a masked maniac yesterday took possession of the Central Police Station at Los Angeles, Cal. The machine was accidentally ignited when an officer struck the man over the head, but luck prevented a disastrous explosion.

New York markets: Money on call firm, 4 1-2 to 6 per cent.; ruling rate 5 3-4; closing bid 4 1-2; offered at 4 5-8. Spot cotton closed steady. Flour quiet. Wheat weak; No. 2 red 1.06 to 1.07. Corn, steady; 52 3-4. Turpentine steady. Rosin quiet.

EXTREME PENALTY FOR FOUR GUNMEN

Jury Decides They Killed Rosenthal at Instigation of Becker

WILL APPEAL FROM VERDICT

Months May Elapse Before Their Ultimate Fate Is Determined—Occupy Cells Near Becker—Judge Goff's Charge

New York, Nov. 19.—"Gyp the Blood," "Lefty Louie," "Dago Frank" and "Whitey" Lewis killed Herman Rosethal, the gambler, at the instigation of Police Lieutenant Charles Becker and must pay the penalty of death in the electric chair. The jury which has been hearing the evidence against the four gunmen so decided today when it returned a verdict of murder in the first degree after but 20 minutes' deliberation.

The gunmen heard the verdict pronounced against them without showing any emotion. They stood at the bar looking straight ahead as the foreman of the jury made known the result of their deliberations and they continued to stare stolidly in front of them until the formalities of the proceedings were concluded. Remanded to their cells in the Tombs until tomorrow morning, when Justice Goff will fix the day for imposing sentence, they turned and filed out of the court room with as firm a step as when they had entered.

"Whitey" Lewis—he who was the dramatic one of the four when he testified on the witness stand—alone walked with head bowed.

As they entered the door leading over the Bridge of Sighs, "Gyp" said something to "Lefty" in a sullen undertone which none could hear. Outside, "Lefty's" doll-faced wife, "Lefty's Lillian," as she is called, wept on the shoulders of her husband's father, who vainly tried to comfort her.

"Gyp's" wife, known as "Gyp's Lillian," received the news in the house of detention. The two other gunmen are unmarried.

Former Magistrate Charles C. F. Wahle, counsel for the gunmen, announced that he would appeal from the verdict, and as in the case of Becker, months may elapse before their ultimate fate is determined. Meanwhile, they will occupy cells near that of the former police lieutenant in the death house at Sing Sing.

Although the jury was actually out of the court room an hour and five minutes, it was but 20 minutes after their retirement that word reached the clerk of the court that they had arrived at a verdict. This was at 1:55 o'clock, but Justice Goff was at lunch and he did not return until three-quarters of an hour later.

The final day of the trial opened with Justice Goff's charge to the jury, which occupied three hours. The charge emphasized many points in the testimony of the gunmen which the prosecution, in its summing up, had declared were discrepancies fatal to the credibility of their stories.

"If the defendants' contention were true that Rose and his companions, Webber, Vallon and Schepps shot Rosenthal, would he have invited them around to the Metropole Hotel to the scene of the shooting?" Judge Goff asked the jury.

"Did the defendants tell the truth when they said they saw Rosenthal shot and were near enough to distinguish faces of those who did shooting, but did not see Rosenthal fall? Was the testimony of the three defendants in support of the alibi of 'Dago Frank' interposed by pre-arrangements?"

CLOSING ARGUMENTS MADE.

Jury Will Take Lopizzo Murder Case on Thursday.

Salem, Mass., Nov. 19.—Closing arguments to the jury began here today in the trial of Jos. J. Ettor, of the Industrial Workers of the World; Arturo Giovannitti, an Italian Socialist writer, and Jos. Caruso, wool mill worker, charged with the murder of Anna Lopizzo during the textile strike at Lawrence last Winter.

Judge Quinn previously had overruled motions by defendants' counsel to take the case from the jury so far as Ettor and Giovannitti were concerned.

These two were charged as accessories to the killing before the fact, it being alleged that through incendiary utterances, they incited the strikers to rioting that resulted in the woman's death. It was urged upon the court that insufficient evidence had been presented to justify submitting the case of these men to the jury. For Caruso, who is charged with having stabbed Officer Benoit and with actually having participated in the fatal riot, no motion was made to close the case.

When court adjourned for the day, James H. Sisk, counsel for Caruso, hard nearly ended his plea for his client. Attorneys for Ettor and Giovannitti will speak after Sisk and the State will close on Thursday when the jury will receive the case.

Attorney Sisk maintained the innocence of Caruso, analyzing the evidence in detail and laying particular stress on the argument that the bullet which killed the Lopizzo woman might have been fired by a policeman or a militiaman.

ACT ALLEGED DEATH SCENE

Miss Farley, State House Stenographer, and Attorney Demonstrate Their Claim That Zollinger Was Accidentally Shot.

Columbus, Ohio, Nov. 19.—Standing in a cleared space in front of the jury box, Miss Cecilia Farley, the State House stenographer, on trial for the murder of Alvin Zollinger, with one of her attorneys late today went through the actions demonstrating the claim of the defense that Zollinger was accidentally shot in a city park last May.

The accused stenographer acted her part in a dramatic manner, entering into the demonstration with zest. Attorney James A. Allen acted the part of Zollinger.

Several hundred curious spectators witnessed the scene. The crowd was so great that two or three women were overcome and fainted. One woman became jammed in the crowd and her arm was broken. She went to a physician, had tne wounded arm treated and then returned to the court room.

Accompanying her words with action, Miss Farley testified:

"We were walking through the park. I was about a step ahead of Mr. Zollinger. Suddenly he said: 'Here comes Quigley; we might a swell end it all now.' As I turned to look for Mr. Quigley he reached in my handbag for the revolver, and took hold of it by the muzzle. I whirled around and grabbed the revolver by the handle, when he clung to the barrel. In trying to wrench it from his grasp, I stepped back, pulling his hand upward. Just then the revolver was discharged, and Mr. Zollinger fell forward on his face."

Attorney Allen, in the part of Zollinger, went so far in picturing the tragedy as to start to fall to the floor. The stillness in the court room was intense while the portrayal was taking place.

Part of the time, looking the jurors squarely in the eyes, and some of the time eyeing the floor, the girl told in a low voice of her meeting Zollinger at a public dance hall; of how she didn't know he was a married man with a family; of how Zollinger wronged her; of the power he had over her, forcing her to do things against her will; of her true love for Jerome Quigley, the man to whom she was engaged, and finally ending her story with the dramatic demonstration of how Zollinger was shot.

Miss Farley told of how Quigley had asked her to become his wife, and of how she had refused because of her past relations with Zollinger.

The girl told of how she had made attempt after attempt to get away from Zollinger's influence, but how she couldn't.

"I told him once that I would ask the police for protection to keep him away from me, but he only laughed. He said he knew the police personally, and that if I went to them they would only laugh at me, while he would be protected.

"After my engagement to Mr. Quigley, I told him of Zollinger's telephone calls.

WIRE TAPPERS ARRAIGNED

Some of the Number Released at Once Rearrested

(Special Star Telegram.)

New York, Nov. 19.—The seven men recently arrested on charges of being implicated in swindling Kirby Cleveland Sidbury and Dr. Powell, of Wilmington, and Simon Jones, of Pittsburg, Pa., by the wireless wire-tapping game, were arraigned in Westside Court today.

At the request of the district attorney's office, Magistrate Murphy discharged Charles Gondorff, "Paper Collar Joe" Karowsky and Charles Bradford, alias Dutch Alonzo, and they were immediately rearrested on bench warrants founded on indictments returned by the grand jury. Capt. Tunney and a squad of detectives took them to the criminal courts building for arraignment in the Court of General Sessions.

Old Joe Eaton, James McDonald and Charles Carbonnell were discharged, the identification in their cases being insufficient. The case of Fred Gondoff, went over until December 6th.

There were two indictments against Gondorff, one charging him with swindling Sidbury, the other charging him with separating Major Edward Gray Pendelton, of Palm Beach, Fla., Atlantic City and the Waldorf, of $53,000. The indictment charges that the major fell for the fake pool room wire-tapping game on April 19th, 1912, and it appears from the papers that the major let go of his $53,000 roll all at once.

When the three indicted wireless wiremen were arraigned before Judge Foster today the assistant district attorney asked that bail be fixed at $50,000 in the case of Gondorff and $25,000 apiece for the others. Judge Foster made Gondorff's bail $25,000 and cut the bail of the others to $15,000 apiece. None of the three could furnish a bond and all went to the Tombs.

Wytheville, Va., Nov. 19.—Instructions to the jury in the trial of Sidna Allen for the murder of Judge Thornton L. Massie were read this afternoon, and the argument of counsel immediately begun. Seven and a half hours, for argument has been allotted to each side, and the case will not go to the jury before Friday. Several witnesses were examined this morning, but no evidence of interest or importance was brought out.

MANIAC STARTS A REIGN OF TERROR

Masked Visitor, Armed With Infernal Machine, Takes Police Station

HUNDREDS PANIC-STRICKEN

Explosive Automatically Ignited and Catastrophe Narrowly Averted—Prisoners Removed From Jail—Courts Adjourned

Los Angeles, Cal., Nov. 19.—Armed with an infernal machine containing enough dynamite to destroy an entire city block, a bottle of nitro-glycerine and a 45-calibre revolver, a masked maniac took possession of the Central Police Station today and held it for more than an hour, while hundreds of occupants of the building and those for blocks around, panic-stricken, sought safety in distance.

When Detective James Hosick knocked the man unconscious with a leather "billy," after slipping up behind him, the fuse of the infernal machine was automatically ignited, but Detective Samuel L. Brown grabbed the box, with its fuse sharply sputtering and hurled it into the street. Sticks of high-power dynamite scattered over the pavement while hundreds of spectators startled, apparently paralyzed by fright. Through a freak of chance there was no explosion, and Brown continued kicking the sticks of dynamite and jumping on the fuse until he had broken the connection and extinguished the fire.

Menacled to a cot in the receiving hospital tonight the would-be dynamiter, who gave his name as Albert Henry Davis, is suffering with several severe scalp wounds, but the police surgeons say his injuries are not serious.

Davis entered the outer office of Chief of Police Sebastian this afternoon. His face and head were completely covered with a grotesque mask and he carried in his arms a large box covered with cloth. The box was strapped around his shoulders and resembled a small hand organ.

First startled, and then amused by the strange spectacle, Police Sergeant R. C. Hilf, who suspected a practical joke, asked the man what he wanted.

"I've got enough dynamite in here to blow us all into eternity," he said, "and I want you to send for the highest official of the Southern Pacific Railroad."

The masked visitor rested the box on a filing cabinet and Assistant District Attorney R. O. Graham, who was in the office, started joking with him.

"This is no joke," said Davis. "I mean business and if you don't believe it try to take this away from me. My hand is fastened in this box and if I pull it out—bang—we all die."

A hole had been cut in the box and the occupants of the room saw for the first time that the man's left hand was hidden in the box.

They began to realize that it was no joke. Davis then walked into the office of Police Secretary C. E. Snively, which opens into the private office of Chief Sebastian and repeated his request that the head official of the Southern Pacific be summoned. Snively asked him if he had any preference in the man he desired to blow up and he replitd that he only wanted the head man.

Snively then took down the telephone receiver and pretended to hold a conversation with Paul Schoup, general manager of the Pacific Electric Company.

"Mr. Schoup is busy, but he will be here in about 15 minutes," said Snively.

"Well, he'd better hurry," replied Davis, "I'm getting nervous."

In the meantime Chief Sebastian, who had had a brief conversation with the man and realized that he was in earnest, ordered the street roped off for a block either way and took steps to have the 100 prisoners in the city prison removed. Upstairs in the building two justice courts were in session and both court rooms were crowded.

A detective passed the word to a bailiff in Judge Chambers' court, where a Japanese was having a preliminary examination on a murder charge before a crowd of his countrymen. The bailiff whispered to the judge.

"Court's adjourned until 2 P. M. Clear the court room," ordered the judge promptly and there was a rush for the stairway. A similar scene was enacted in Justice Frederickson's court.

There were not enough patrol wagons to remove the prisoners from the jail to the Doyle Heights prison and two street cars were sent for. It was an orderly procedure, and the prisoners were soon on their way to the East Side guarded by the reserves, who had been called out.

Ambulances removed the patients from the city emergency hospital just around the corner from the chief's office. The hospital was crowded with patients injured in last night's fire at the St. George Hotel.

Realizing the necessity of keeping the man's attention engaged until the building was cleared and some means devised for foiling his plans, Secretary

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"DIDN'T KNOW IT WAS LOADED."

Gun Accidentally Discharged on Front Street Yesterday.

What might have been a serious accident occurred on Front street, opposite the market, about 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon, when a shotgun was accidentally discharged. It occurred in the place of Mr. Will Sneeden, a commission merchant. Mr. Sneeden lives out in the country and yesterday morning his wife sent his gun to the city to be cleaned and repaired. As he was busy all the morning, Mr. Sneeden did not have time to send the gun to a gunsmith. About 3 o'clock in the afternoon George Bunne, a white boy, 10 or 12 years old, giving his address as 119 South Fifth street, picked up the gun, and pointing it at the door, pulled the trigger. He did not know it was loaded, nor did Mr. Sneeden. Fortunately, practically all the load entered the door facing. Had anyone been passing at the time he or she would doubtless have been killed or seriously wounded. Both Assistant Chief of Police C. W. Woolard and Officer W. F. Craig heard the report of the gun and made an investigation, finding the facts as outlined.

IN FEDERAL COURT.

One Case Against Waccamaw Lumber Company Was Compromised.

Practically all of yesterday in the United States Circuit Court was taken up with the trial of the case of Olney Herring against the Waccamaw Lumber Co., which late in the afternoon was compromised. It is understood that the defendant agreed to pay the plaintiff $780 and the cost of the action. The amount sought was $15,000 for the death of a son of the plaintiff. It was alleged that he was killed while in the employ of the defendant company.

A miniature skidder had been constructed by the defendant company, and was exhibited in the court room. It is alleged that Herring lost his life while working a skidder. The model, it is stated, costs several hundred dollars. It was so constructed as to show a skidder in operation.

When the Herring case had been compromised, the case of E. A. Evans against the Waccamaw Lumber Co. was taken up. The complainant is suing for $20,000, for alleged damages received while in the employ of the defendant company.

HER FATHER KILLED IN WRECK

Engineer C. H. Beckham Had Daughter Living In This City

News of the wreck on the Seaboard Air Line was received in Wilmington yesterday forenoon, but nothing definite was heard until the afternoon. As is always the case in a railroad wreck the greatest interest was manifested and newspaper reporters were besieged all the morning for information. The first report had it that 60 persons were killed in the wreck, but the person who first told this evidently misunderstood his informant, for only six were reported killed.

Mrs. Albert Bretsch, of this city, was a daughter of Mr. C. H. Beckham, engineer on No. 84. Her husband is chief prescription clerk at the drug store of Mr. James Hall, Fifth and Castle streets. He received a telegram about 8 o'clock yesterday morning from his brother conveying to him the sad news. Mr. and Mrs. Bretsch left last night for Raleigh to attend the funeral. Many friends here will tenderly sympathize with them in their bereavement.

PLANS ARE APPROVED.

Col. Ludlow Gives Permission to Proceed With Sewerage System.

Dr. Chas. T. Nesbitt, city superintendent of health, last night received from Councilman B. C. Moore a telegram stating that Col. J. L. Ludlow, of Winston-Salem, engineer of the State Board of Health, had given his permission for the construction of the extensions of the seewrage system in the northern, eastern and southern sections of this city, allowing the city to provide the intercepting sewer later. Councilman Moore and Mr. F. F. Pillet, city engineer, were in Winston-Salem yesterday to place the matter before Col. Ludlow. Col. Ludlow knows the local conditions and when the financial situation was explained to him he readily agreed to the proposition to postpone the laying of the intercepting sewer. Councilman Moore and Mr. Pillet are on their way home and are expected to arrive in time to attend Council meeting this morning. It is expected that at this meeting the engineer will be authorized to advertise for bids.

Two Attachments

Furniture and household effects of Gussie Greer, a woman of the underworld, have been attached under proceedings started in Justice Harriss' court by Mr. O. H. Kennedy. The amount claimed is $125 for meats purchased by the defendant. In Justice McGowan's court Dr. Russell Bellamy obtained an attachment for $200 for professional fees. Both papers were served through Sheriff Cowan's office by Deputy Sheriff Kelly. Unless the claims have been settled in 30 days the property will be sold.

Low Water In Cape Fear

Yesterday afternoon's Fayetteville Observer says: "For about six months now Cape Fear river has been so low that navigation between Fayetteville and Wilmington has practically ceased altogether. Surely if there ever was a time when the historic stream needed canalization, this is the time. And there never was a time when, on account of low water, locks and dams could be more easily put in than at present. There is only two feet of water at the wharves here today."

Flagged Train With Shirt.

Tearing his shirt from his back an Ohio man flagged a train and saved it from a wreck, but H. T. Alston, Raleigh, N. C., once prevented a wreck with Electric Bitters. "I was in a terrible plight when I began to use them," he writes, "my stomach, head, back and kidneys were all badly affected and my liver was in bad condition, but four bottles of Electric Bitters made me feel like a new man." A trial will convince you of their matchless merit for any stomach, liver or kidney trouble. Price 50 cents at R. R. Bellamy.

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DISCUSS SHERMAN LAW.

Federation Postpones Action on Industrial Unionism.

Rochester, N. Y., Nov. 19.—An all-day discussion of the Sherman anti-trust law, as interpreted in the Danbury Hatters case, today prevented consideration by the American Federation of Labor convention of the committee on education's report on the resolution favoring the adoption of industrial unionism in the place of craft organization.

When discussion of the Sherman law was ended, the question of taking steps to encourage its amendment was referred back to the committee on president's report. The committee will make a recommendation later in the week. By a special order of business, discussion of industrial unionism was set to follow the Sherman law discussion and will be taken up tomorrow morning.

Throughout the day speakers arraigned the Sherman law as a menace to the right of workers to associate for purposes on common interest, but a difference of opinion arose as to the best means to combat the law. Members of the radical wing of the convention argued that political action through a party organization in the workers' interests was the only means. President Gompers and other members of the conservative wing held that the remedy lay in election of labor men, of whatever political affiliation to Congress and agitation against the law by time-honored union methods. Whatever means is employed, it was the convention's sentiment that the law must, in the words of President Gompers, "be amended or ended."

At the afternoon session Socialists urged their plan for defeating the law and several leaders of the conservative side rebuked them for bringing up a political discussion in a labor convention. Charges of disloyalty to labor's cause were made against Socialists by President Gompers and others of the conservaative wing, and there were replies by Duncan McDonald, Frank Hayes and John H. Walker, of the United Mine Workers.

James B. Conroy, of St. Louis, representing the Foundry Workers, led the attack on the Socialist position. Among those who followed him, was Miss Mary McCauley, of Buffalo, representing the Commercial Telegraphers' Union, the first woman delegate to take part in the discussions of the convention.

Radicals urged the federation to support the Danbury Hatters, and to assume the fines and judgments that may be imposed upon them. This policy is opposed by President Gompers and others on the ground that it would invite prosecution of the federation under the same law.

FRACTURED SKULL.

Raleigh Carpenter Fell Down Elevator Shaft at Undertakers.

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 19.—Alex. Geans, a young carpenter, entered a private door of a local undertaking establishment this afternoon and fell down an elevator shaft, fracturing his skull. It is not believed that he can live.

Monday morning, while George Newton a janitor, was selecting a coffin for his wife in another undertaking establishment, a case of five coffins fell on him, injuring him internally. Both are at the point of death in a local hospital.

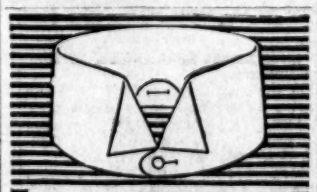
Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 19.—Early tonight Alex Goans, a carpenter, urged on by a morbid curiosity to see the remains of the victims of the Seaboard Air Line head-on collision, beyond Norlina, slipped into the undertaking establishment of the J. H. Brown Co. and fell through the elevator shaft from the street floor to the basement, fracturing his skull badly. He is in a precarious condition at Rex Hospital. Nothing was known of the accident until some time afterwards, when the unconscious victim was found in the basement.

IN FRANTIC RUSH.

Republicans Scramble for Last Grab at Pie Counter of Nation.

Washington, Nov. 19.—Hungry Republicans, foreseeing a four years political famine, are flooding the White House with letters begging for an opportunity to serve the public.

The avalanche of petitions for public office has almost inundated the executive office clerks and the arguments of the writers are said to be ingenuious in the extreme. Many of the writers in asking for political preferment before the incoming of the Democratic administration, advance the idea that they might be overlooked when President Wilson took up the reins of office, while others pin their faith on being temporarily overlooked after the change in administration. There are few offices, however, and the White House is not filling many of those.



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PREPARING FOR FRAY.

Yale and Harvard Squads Put in Hard Work for Great Game.

(Baltimore Sun, 18th.)

The Yale football machine was started at a low running clip yesterday for the Harvard game in New Haven Saturday. The players reached home from Greenwich in the morning in time for early recitations, and the squad was reorganized at noon for the final week of the season. Only 32 players were reserved.

Instead of visiting the Yale field the squad was taken to the new baseball cage, where it worked two hours in secret. Only signal practice, placegoal kicking and light drop kicks were possible, but, with every member of the team slightly limping and bruised from the Tiger battering, it was all that was needed. Although there were no injuries of importance Saturday, nearly every player was lame and slow. All were on hand except Bomeisler.

The full squdd was given a chance at the signal work before the drill closed. Head Coach Howe was questioned about the team's plans and said:

"So far we have decided no changes in the playing order will be made."

Coach Percy D. Haughton and his assistants explained to the Harvard varsity football squad yesterday the plan of campaign to be pursued in the game with Yale. After an hour and a half blackboard and quiz session, the players were taken on the gridiron test the plays in a dummy scrimmage, the first team lining up against the substitutes. No heavy work was called for, but today it is expected practice will be hard.

All the men who played against Dartmouth Saturday appeared for instruction, except Quarterback Gardner, whose place was taken by Freedley. The men are reported to be in good condition.

ALLENS GRANTED RESPITE.

Governor Postpones Date of Execution From Nov. 22 to Dec. 13.

Richmond, Va., Nov. 19.—The date for the execution of Floyd Allen and his son, Claude Swanson Allen for participation in the Hillsville court house murders, was postponed today by Governor Mann, from November 22nd to December 13th. The respite was granted so that Claude Allen might take an appeal to the United States Supreme Court on the constitutional ground that his life had twice been placed in jeopardy.

In announcing the stay of execution, Governor Mann said he granted it upon request of Judge Staples, before whom the Allens were tried. Floyd Allen was sentenced to death for the killing of Commonwealth Attorney Foster. Claude Allen was first sentenced to 15 years for shooting Thornton L. Massie; but on a second trial was sentenced to death for the murder of Attorney Foster.

HIGH COST OF LIVING

Most Serious Problem of Today—Due Largely to Sickness—Read This Letter

Clifton Mills, Ky.—That the high cost of living is due largely to sickness, especially among the women folk, no one can doubt, but in the following letter from Mrs. Sylvania Woods, of this place, it is brought more forcibly home to us. "Before I began to take Cardui, the woman's tonic, my back and head would hurt so bad, day and night, I though the pain would kill me. I was unable to attend to any of my household duties.

I had only taken three bottles of Cardui, when I began to feel like a new woman. Within a few months I gained 35 pounds, and now, I not only do all my own housework and washing, but, most of the time, run a big water mill, while my husband runs the farm.

I wish every suffering woman would give Cardui a trial, for I am sure it would help them, as it has me."

At an expense of $3.00, for three bottles of Cardui, Mrs. Woods regained her health, and is now able to attend to the numerous duties, which, formerly, she either had to hire done, or neglect, thus increasing her cost of living.

Lady reader, are you suffering from any of the ailments so common to your sex? Wouldn't it be worth a few dollars to you to feel well enough to look after your daily work?

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VERDICT FOR DEFENDANT.

Representative of Cotton King Wins Suit at Hendersonville.

Asheville, N. C., Nov. 19.—In the Superior Court at Hendersonille today the jury in the case of R. J. Wooley vs. R. G. Ogburn, in which the plaintiff sued for the sum of $51,000, returned a verdict for the defendant, answering all of the eight issues in Mr. Ogburn's favor.

The defendant is the representative of Frank B. Hayne, the millionaire and cotton king of New Orleans, who in January, 1909, bought a house and 200 acres of land in the Flat Rock section from Mr. Wooley's mother. In the following March Mr. Hayne sought to take possession of the property, but Mr. Wooley refused to vacate, contending that the terms of sale entitled him to another year's occupancy. Mr. Hayne appointed Ogburn his representative, and the latter, it is said, sent several men to the Wooley home with instructions to dynamite the property if the occupant persisted in his refusal to leave. Mr. Wooley brought suit for damages in the amount named, claiming that he had been illegally ejected and had suffered much mental distress.

COTTON MAKES HIGH RECORD

Advances $2.05 Per Bale and December Contracts Go to 12.14

New York, Nov. 19.—The rapid advance in the cotton market resulted in December delivery making a new high record for the season on reports of big demand for local stock. December contracts sold at 12.14, or $2.05 a bale above yesterday's closing, while January and later months sold 25 to 30 points higher.

Business was sensationally active and there were many predictions of still higher prices, owing to talk of large mill requirements and reports that offerings of actual cotton in the South had not followed the recent decline of futures.

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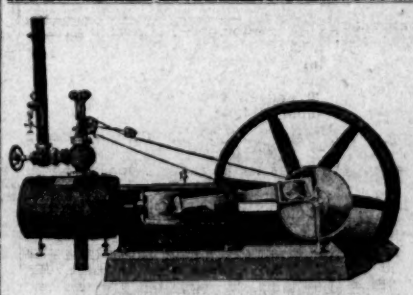

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WOMAN BURNED TO DEATH

Craven County Road Improvement—Other Newbern News Notes

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Newbern, N. C., Nov. 19.—Laura Burton, an aged colored woman, was burned to death here yesterday morning when the house on Burn street in which she was living caught fire and in the excitement she got too near an open fire place and her clothing ignited. The woman, it is supposed was in the act of preparing her breakfast. When the fire on the roof of the house was discovered another inmate ran up the stairs to her room and attempted to get her out. However, she was enveloped in a sheet of flames and although efforts were made to extinguish the fire on her clothing they proved of no avail. The woman was about 70 years old.

The controversy over the erection of the Baron De Graffenried monument in this city promises to become a Statewide issue. Judge O. H. Allen, of Kinston, is the latest addition to those who have recently found something against the Baron's character. Never has there been such a demand for ancient history as there has been in this city during the past few days. A number of prominent citizens are upholding the Baron's character while others are raking over ancient volumes in order to find out just what this noted personage really did in the early history of Newbern. However, the fact still remains that De Graffenried brought a colony to Newbern and settled and as the people are erecting a monument to the founder of the city there is nothing to do but associate the Baron with it.

Several weeks ago the Craven County commissioners decided to pave with bitulithic several of the roads leading into the city. The first work on this proposed project began today when a large force of men began laying the paving material on Neuse road which enters the city from the west. Two miles of this road will be paved with bitulithic and as soon as this is finished the force of men will be transfered to the Trent road which enters from the east and two miles of this will be paved. As soon as this is concluded the Oaks road, entering the city from the north will be treated with the same material. These roads have long needed attention and now that the county has really begun the work it will be pushed to completion without delay.

A two weeks' term of Craven county Superior Court for the trial of civil cases only convened in this city today with Judge Stephen C. Bragaw, of Washington, N. C., presiding. There are a large number of cases on the docket which have been accruing for the past year or more, and the entire two weeks will doubtless be consumed in their disposal.

Mrs. Micajah, the white woman who was arrested by revenue officers several days ago near Jacksonville, in Onslow county, and who was brought to this city and placed in jail until she could be given a hearing on a warrant charging her with retailing spirituous liquors without a government license, was taken before United States Commissioner C. B. Hill today and given a hearing. Probable cause was found and she was held for the next term of Federal Court and her bond fixed at $150. Rather than see the woman stay in the county jail until that time a local citizen stood security for the bond. From the evidence given at the hearing it was found that she had been selling whiskey for more than two years. One witness testified that he had seen as much as two barrels in her home at one time. The woman's husband is a paralytic and she has four small children and it is supposed that she was engaged in this business so that she could support these.

The torpedo boat Foote, which is stationed at this port but which has been at Elizabeth City during the past two weeks undergoing repairs, will be returned here this week. The boat was sent to that place to take on board a company of naval reserves to bring to this place to enter competitive drill with several other companies in this section of the State. Just as she was making ready to leave for the return trip two of her generators blew out and this put an end to the trip.

GIVES POLICEMAN THE SLIP.

Slayer of Patrolman Breaks Thorugh Cordon of Officers.

St. Louis, Nov. 19.—Although surrounded early today in a railroad yard by 30 policemen, Al Whitfield, a negro who, after midnight, killed Patrolman Arthur N. Huddleson and wounded three other policemen, eluded his pursuers. Chief of Police William Young has offered a reward of $100 for the capture, dead or alive, of Whitfield, who is said to be a former convict.

Patrolman William J. Kelly attempted to arrest Whitfield in an alley for disturbing the peace. The negro resisted and seized the officer's revolver. Seeing Patrolman Huddleson advancing from the other end of the alley, Whitfield shot him dead, then fired at Kelly, wounding him in the right hand, and escaped.

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GOOD ROADS BOOSTERS

Trip Through Lenoir, Johnston and Wake Counties—Kinston News.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Kinston, N. C., Nov. 19.—John Hughes, a young white man who lives on Hull road, several miles from Kinston, was badly hurt following an altercation with negroes near Herritage and North streets, in the tobacco district of the city. The blacks attacked Hughes with their fists, and a board was also used with painful effect on the white man in the melee. The victim of the assault was severely beaten about the face. The negroes were from the country, and when the police arrived they were well on their way out of the city in a wagon. Hughes was taken home by a brother.

Preparations were today completed for the good roads boosting trip which will be made by farmers of the county over the highways from this city to Raleigh tomorrow, and no hitch is expected to occur which will in any way delay the start of the planters and their hosts, business men of Kinston, when the hour for the departure arrives. Ninety representative rural citizens of Lenoir, every one a progressive leader in the community's business and civic affairs, will be the guests of thirty members of the local chamber of commerce, in as many automobiles. Lenoir county is to have better roads, and the men who will journey over the sand-clay highways of Wayne, Johnson and Wake to see how their neighbors have built them, will be the leaders in a campaign which is expected to result in their securement. Each of the 12 townships in the county will furnish seven or eight members of the party, and Kinston will furnish the transportation and entertainment. The start will be made from this city at 7 A. M. At LaGrange at 8 o'clock, representatives of that town and Moseley Hall township will join in machines, and at Goldsboro, Princeton, Smithfield and Clayton representatives of the municipalities and commercial organizations will welcome them. Somewhere en route the party will pass the Philadelphia boosters' train, although they will not meet at Goldsboro as the secretary of that city's chamber of commerce would like, and at Raleigh in the evening the Philadelphians will not arrive until some hours after the Lenoir men have made their departure. At the stops en route the business men will distribute small, pointed advertising matter, admonishing the residents to "Investigate Kinston; you'll like it," and "Come to Kinston; we want you," and bearing just enough statistical information to give an idea of the city's rapidly increasing business. To add dignity to the occasion, Mayor LaRoque and officials of the Chamber of Commerce will be members of the party, and business builders and "watch Kinston grow" enthusiasts will be well interspersed with the men whose trade has built Kinston. This modern caravan of progress will motor into the capital city at half past noon, fraternize with the business men there, lunch and see the town. Leaving at 2:30, the return here will be near to suppertime. Apropos of the good roads spirit, Secretary Sutton, of the Chamber of Commerce, says that on a visit to the counties south of here he found surprisingly great enthusiasm, and that the local movement is being watched with much interest by the people there. The farmers of Duplin, Jones and Onslow are anxious for easier communication with the tobacco, cotton and truck markets here.

Mrs. Polly Harrison, of Jones county, died at her home 11 miles from Trenton, from old age. She was 83 years old, and was well-known throughout a large section of the country. Mrs. Harrison was from one of the oldest families in Jones, and was widely related. She had survived all of her five children and her husband, who was for a long while sheriff of the county.

THE HUNTING SEASON

Millionaire Sportsmen Are Arriving—Other News Notes

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Greensboro, Nov. 19.—The hunting season is on with a vengeance in this section now and each day brings additional members to the colony of millionaire sportsmen who own or have friends who control lodges and preserves in Guilford, Randolph, Alamance, Forsyth and adjoining counties. A large number of non-resident licenses as provided by the Audubon act have been issued in this county, the number yesterday standing at about 75. During the past Summer and Fall improvements have been made on the Cobb, Gould, MacKay and Brokaw lodges and in some instances additional lands have been secured. Many farmers get as much as 10 cents an acre while the lowest paid for the hunting privilege is 5 cents per acre. In addition considerable loose money falls wherever the hunters happen to roam.

The bird crop in this section is generally agreed to be one of the largest and finest in many years, yet the prices on the local market are higher than ever before. Quail sold here Saturday at $3.50 a dozen and this morning at $3 and $3.25. Rabbits, never more than 15 cents here, are bringing 20 and 25 cents, even the Chatham supply failing to cut the price. One farm boy came in this morning with 17 "gum" rabbits and he pulled down 25 cents apiece as fast as he could hand them out. With such prices for game there seems little danger of the hunters in this section starving to death during the present season.

County Road Superintendent J. A. Davidson has determined to start a general repair movement with a view to preserving the macadam roads of Guilford, more than 125 miles of which has been laid in the county during the past 10 years. In many places the macadam is in bad shape and practically everywhere that it has been down five years it is in need of repair. Superintendent Davidson now proposes to put the entire convict force on repair work, going over all the macadam. He has found that a coat of fine gravel, spiked up with the macadam road bed rolled makes a splendid road and one which in the few instances tried has stood up well. The more recent road work in the county has been sand-clay and the results have been highly gratifying. The county now has about 35 miles of sand-clay road, 15 of which lays between her and Winston-Salem.

SENATE FIGHT IN TENNESSEE.

Democrats Control Both Houses, but Competitors Are Many.

Nashville, Tenn., Nov. 18.—With 67 votes constituting a majority on joint ballot in the Tennessee General Assembly and with the regular Democrats electing 75 members of both Houses it is a foregone conclusion that a Democrat will be elected as United States Senator in place of Newell Sanders, who was appointed by Governor Hooper to succeed Robert L. Taylor.

The General Assembly will elect both a long term and a short term Senator. The latter, serving only until March 4th, will be some Democrat named out of compliment, but the filling of the long term office will be the occasion of a stiff fight.

At present ex-Governor Benton McMillin has the lead, but he has some strong opponents, and among them there will be probably Chief Justice John K. Shields, Thomas R. Preston, a Chattanooga banker, and ex-Justice W. K. McAllister, of Nashville. Among the Fusionists will be G. A. Enloe, State Railway Commissioner; C. T. Cates, Jr., attorney general of the commonwealth, and Judge Joseph E. Jones, the Tennessee night rider judge. The election of any of the latter could only be accomplished by the Memphis delegation deserting the regulars and joining the Fusion forces, and this is not numbered among the things possible, as the Memphis delegation was chosen from among the regular Democrats.

The standing of the next Tennessee General Assembly will be as follows:

Senate—Democrats 18; Republicans 5; Independents 9; Progressives 1.

House—Democrats 57; Republicans 21; Independents 16; Progressives 4.

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Wilmington, N. C., Nov. 14th.

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DEPARTURES:	TO AND FROM	ARRIVALS:
N. 90, ! 3:40 A.M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Eastern North Carolina points. Connects at Goldsboro with Southern Railway and Norfolk Southern Railroad. No. 91 leaves Norfolk 13:35 P. M. and Richmond 14:10 P. M.	No. 91, a 1:00 A. M.
No. 51, * 5:35 A. M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa, Ft. Myers, Columbia and Asheville. Pullman Sleeping Cars Between Wilmington and Columbia, open to receive passengers at Wilmington at and after 10:00 P. M., and may be occupied until 7:00 A. M.	No. 50, *12:30 A. M.
No. 64, ! 5:50 A. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate Stations.	No 65, ! 6:25 P. M.
No. 48, * 8:30 A. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington. Pullman Parlor Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York Trains with Pullman Service.	No. 49, * 6:15 P. M.
No. 53, * 8:45 A. M.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Sanford	No. 52, * 8:05 P. M.
No. 55, * 3:15 P. M.	Chadourn, Conway (!), Florence, Charleston, Savannah, All Florida Points, Columbia, Asheville and the West. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia.	No. 54, * 1:40 P. M.
No. 62, * 3:25 P. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate Stations.	No. 63, *12:50 P.M.
N. 59, ! 6:30 P. M.	Fayetteville, Sanford and Intermediate Stations.	No. 60, !10:15 A. M.
No. 42, * 7:00 P. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains, with Pullman and Dining Car Service. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.	No. 41, *10:00 A. M.
No. 57, ! 7:30 P. M.	Chadbourn, Conway and Intermediate Stations.	No.58, ! 8:15 A. M.

* Daily. ! Daily except Sunday. a Daily except Monday.

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W. J. CRAIG, Passenger Traffic Manager. T. C. WHITE, General Passenger Agent. WILMINGTON, N. C.

SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

In Effect October 29, 1912.

Winter Park, Wrightsville, Wrightsville Beach and Intermediate Points.

EAST BOUND. Leave Wilmington for Winter Park	Leave Wilmington for Wrightsville	Leave Wilmington for The Beach	WEST BOUND. Leave Winter Park for Wilmington	Leave Wrightsville for Wilmington	Leave The Beach for Wilmington
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Schedule in Effect Thursday, Sept. 5, 1912.

P. M.		A. M.
*3:15	Lv. . . . Wilmington. . . . Ar.	8:15
4:05	" . . . Town Creek . . . "	7:20
4:20	" . . . Bolivia . . . "	7:05
4:55	Ar. . . . Southport . . . Lv.	6:30

* Daily, except Sunday.

Special train operated Sunday only, leaving Southport, 6:30 A. M., arriving Wilmington, 8:15 A. M. Returning, leave Wilmington, 3:15 P. M., arriving Southport, 4.55 P. M.

H. E. GOODWIN, Traffic Manager.

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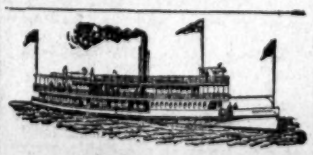

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Lv. Petersburg	11:00 a.m.	10:40 p.m.
Lv. Durham	7:00 a.m.	5:30 p.m.
Lv. Lynchburg	2:40 p.m.	2:30 a.m.
Ar. Cincinnati	7:20 a.m.	6:25 p.m.
Ar. Columbus	6:45 a.m.	6:35 p.m.
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November 20, 1912.

Who put the Helen Miss Helen Sayres, the English suffragette?

"All men are liars" when they deny that early in life they tried to write poetry.

No, Gladys, those are not aviators who are "entering for the fight over the postoffice."

Some men are so stingy they won't even spend their leisure hours at home with their wives.

It may be more or less appropriate that the woman suffragists won the victory after a tight squeeze.

What has become of the old fashioned gentleman who tried to sing, "Come, birdie, come, and live with me"?

What is fame? The Richmond Times-Dispatch alludes to the Hon. Dink Botts, of Georgia, as the Hon. Dink Potts.

Governor Joe Brown, of Georgia, made 156 bushels of corn on an acre of land. Is Governor Brown right sure that he was not born in North Carolina?

Of course there is a bumper crop, but the farmers do not propose to be bumped for it. The best prosperity in this country comes from prosperous farmers.

We can't get any prompt and very accurate reports from the Turco-Balkan war, but the picture makers seem to keep right up with everything that happens at the front.

Yes, buddy, the hat is still in the ring and it will stay there unless the constitution is so amended as to limit the terms of Presidents to one term of six or eight years.

Says a Republican contemporary: "In four more months hundreds of Democrats will be lying around Washington." It is all right just so they do not get to lying on each other.

Some of the distinguished "sons" of the United States were Jefferson, Madison, Jackson, Harrison (William Henry), Harrison (Benjamin), Johnson and Wilson. In comparison, Wilson possesses the political genius of Jefferson and the courageous initiative of Jackson.

Says the New York World: "Everybody's talking all at once about limiting Presidential terms by law. There's a reason." 'Taint no use to get personal about it, but Col. Roosevelt is liable to get mad when he suspects this movement is aimed at the candidate who threw his hat into the ring and just left it there.

An investigation by the experts of the government hospital for the insane, reveals the fact that bachelors are more liable to insanity than married men. Pity the poor bachelors! They really may be crazy over some girl that wouldn't consent to marry them. They start out by being foolish over one girl instead of the whole bunch.

"Money makes the mare go", and it also gets a girl in the pictures. A girl in Rhode Island recently inherited $600,000 and her picture promptly got into the papers along with a write-up which alludes to her beauty and her queenly qualities. Her beauty and her qualities were her's before she became rich, and yet she was not noticed till her money was in sight. A girl's beauty and her fine qualities are worth more than her money, but if the value of some North Carolina girls were measured in money they would be worth millions of dollars.

THE SOUTH AND THE TARIFF.

Appeal has been made to Southern Senators and Representatives to go to Washington and stand by their principles in revision of the tariff. We do not think there will be any trouble on that score, but in warning Southern Congressmen against taking a sectional view of the tariff in the fight over revision, the Richmond Times-Dispatch is moved to say:

"But wherein lies the danger of not taking the right course? In the possibility that certain representatives of the South will fail to rise to the demand of the Nation because of their provincial attitude. The tariff, for instance, must not be regarded as in any sense a sectional or even local issue. If the duty on Massachusetts leather must be reduced, North Carolina timber must also suffer revision. The South cannot lead the Nation if she is held back by the Louisianians who demand immunity for sugar, the South Carolinians and Georgians who would protect cotton, the North Carolinians who would exempt timber, the Virginians and Tennesseeans and Alabamians who would hold out coal, iron and peanuts.

"The people of the Southern States affected by tariff revision will need no explanation from their representatives; they understand that the demand of the Nation must be met if the South is to retain its primacy. Democrats in the House and Senate who are disposed to oppose tariff revision will be brought to time by the sentiment of constituents who will not stand for the Republicanization of the Democratic party. If there arises any question of patriotism against pocketbook, the people of the South will stand where they have always stood. Their faith in the wisdom of the Democratic party stills any fear as to permanent detriment to their local interests. The South must rise to the occasion. Her leaders must represent not only what she has been, but what she expects to be. Let them be animated only by the highest and noblest Americanism if they would represent the true temper of the South."

We don't think there is going to be much trouble on the score of making the tariff sectional or local, for it has made itself so and time and again vindicated the famous remark of Gen. Hancock that "the tariff is largely a local issue." He meant, of course, a protective tariff and the country generally has awakened to the fact that it is so local as to be confined almost exclusively to the locality of New England. Fortunately, however, the country will this time have a President who understands tariff making. He already has declared that the tariff must be revised equitably. That means that no industry shall be made to suffer more than any other, that one section shall not have all the benefits, and that no section shall bear more of the burden of the tax than any other. Finally, that an equitable tariff is one which considers the interests of all the people of the United States whether they are consumers or manufacturers.

The tariff is a dickens of a tax and an equitable tariff means that it shall not bear more heavily on Texas than it does on Maine, nor that it shall be of more benefit to Massachusetts than to Louisiana. Of course, "the tariff is largely a local issue" and if it is in any particular protective it becomes a mighty big political issue. In our Democratic tariff revision in the last Congress, we put raw sugar on the free list and it locally and politically hit the beet sugar States and Louisiana with its cane sugar interests. The tariff is sectional, and revision will take that into account. Hence we have the New Orleans States saying this:

"Another suggestion Mr. Ransdell makes we conceive to be of exceptional importance in view of the announcement of President-elect Wilson that he is to call an extra session on March 4th. It is that the sugar and rice planters, the millmen and other developers of our minerals make the journey to Washington with the river delegation in order that they may lay the foundation for a systematic campaign next year to protect Louisiana industries from any unfair discrimination in the inevitable readjustment of the tariff schedules. The new Democratic administration is solemnly committed to legislation to relieve the people from some of the burdens they now suffer under the unjust and iniquitous Republican tariff system. Of course, Louisianians cannot expect to be the beneficiaries of any policy of favoritism; but they ought to prepare themselves to put up the best possible fight against any change in tariff schedules that do not give them the benefit of equal and uniform treatment. The sugar men for instance, cannot expect to go to Washington after March 4th insisting on a tariff on their product for purely protective purposes; but they have a very strong case, under the Democratic theory of a tariff for revenue purposes, in the fact that sugar is the ideal revenue producing article on the tariff list, and that it has enjoyed the benefit of a duty for more than a hundred years under both Democratic and Republican regimes. It would be a mistake to underestimate the effect of the insidious efforts of certain interests to create a sentiment in favor of free sugar, on the theory that it would mean a cheapening of the poor man's breakfast table; but Governor Wilson is committed to a policy of such a readjustment of the tariff as will be fair to all sections and protect any industry now benefitting by a duty from sudden destruction; and there is no reason to doubt that if the campaign of the business interests is intelligently directed no injustice will be done to Louisiana. Meantime the wisdom of Mr. Ransdell's suggestion that the agricultural and industrial interests likely to be affected by tariff legislation will materially aid their cause by sending at this time a representative delegation to Washington, must be self-evident; and we hope it will be accepted and acted on in the spirit in which it is made."

Louisiana is right now looking at the equity in tariff making, and North Carolina will look at it that way. So will Virginia, and so will the beet sugar States. If the Democrats revise the tariff equitably, like Wilson says it should be done, the Democratic party will be stronger in New England, in the West and in the South. Certainly, it would be bad politics to affect "local" interests in any State by placing their products on the free list. We are going to see under Wilson some pretty tariff making that will fully vindicate Senators Simmons and Overman in demanding equity and justice for North Carolina while Aldrich was looking out for his "local" end of it.

The tariff ought to be revised as soon as possible, downward as rapidly as it is safe to do it, and as equitably as it can be done with regard to evesy section of the Union.

THE SOUTH'S OPPORTUNITY

President Wilson already has announced that as soon as possible after April 15th he will call the new Congress in extra session to revise the tariff in accordance with the pledge of the Democratic platform. It will be equitably revised downward, for the country knows that for two years a Democratic Congress has been doing its best to reduce the tariff burdens of the country. We see no need, therefore, to be urging the Democrats of the Senate to stand by Wilson and revision.

The President-elect has let the country know that he is going to call an extra session, and, having put everybody on notice to that effect, he set off for the Bermudas to take a rest and prepare for work after his inauguration in less than four months from now. He has made a study of the tariff all his life from the Democratic standpoint, and fortunately for him and the Democratic party, he will have in the Congress many experienced Democratic Senators and Representatives who also have studied the tariff and have had experience in making tariff bills and pushing them through the House and the Senate. He will have in the House that able and experienced Alabama stateseman, the Hon. Oscar W. Underwood, and in the upper House there will be Senator Furnifold M. Simmons, of North Carolina, who so ably and adroitly managed the tariff reform fight in the Senate at the last session.

The new President will need experienced men like Underwood and Simmons and other able Congressemn who have been in the thickest of the fight. That is all the more true for the reason that the Senate and House will be composed of many new members who lack the necessary experience in framing bills, handling legislation and meeting the opposing tacticians in debate. Since it is hardly to be expected that raw men will be put ahead of seasoned committeemen and House and Senate leaders, we can not take seriously the rumor that any fight on Senator Simmons at the next session can possibly succeed. It would be folly for any attempt to be made to prevent the North Carolina Senator from rising to the deserved honor of being chairman of the Senate Finance Committee. He was the Senate leader in the Senate tariff fight at the last session and he was in thorough harmony with the Democratic programme for tariff revision. He made a strong and winning fight for that programme, and it was through his splendid prowess that the Senate put the Democratic tariff bills up to President Taft for his veto. More than that, the North Carolina Senator has just had an overwhelming vote of confidence at the hands of North Carolina Democrats. Consequently there would be no reasonable ground upon which the experienced North Carolina Senator should be given a back seat and the Democracy of North Carolina affronted. That such men as Simmons will be needed, the following from the Richmond Times-Dispatch will show:

"The South, after more than half a century of patient waiting, has regained its position in the nation. Can it retain it? If so, its position of primacy can only be secured by the service which its representatives render in national legislation. Southerners in Congress have had to content themselves decade after decale with subordinate or unimportant committee assignments; the fortune of the minority denied them the opportunity for real service to the republic. Leadership was not for them; their ability and their experience were discounted. The long awaited hour has come. Opportunity thunders at the door of the South. Southern men, because of the return of the Democratic party to power, are lifted to leadership in both branches of Congress. The government is controlled by the majority, of which they are the dominant part. Most of the chairmen of the important committees come from the South. To their hands will be committed the bulk of the task of framing and securing national legislation. The responsibility for constructive leadership rests upon the South."

It has been boastfully said that "the South is now in the saddle," but it must be said that it is not in the saddle for the South but for the people of the Republic. It depends upon experienced Southern statesmen to demonstrate that the South knows how to sit in the saddle so as not to make a guy of itself. However, there will be no danger from that source if her experienced leaders and statesmen are put forward. It must be remembered, however, what a raw House did for Grover Cleveland. Beginners thought they knew more than Old Grover, but it took them about ten years to find out their mistake.

THE GREENSBORO RECORD.

The Greensboro Record has just completed the 22nd year of its publication. In taking note of the anniversary, Editor Reece says the Record "is thankful that it is living and hopes to continue to exist, all of which is due to the people of Greensboro and this section." Greensboro has done a good part in its loyal support of the Record, but we happen to know that Colonels Joe Reece and Harper Elam have been the mainstay of the paper through the long years of its plucky fight to succeed. They have made the Record deserving of its staunch hold on the affections and confidence of the people of Greensboro and Guilford county, and they have not only done well with the paper, but they have given it a character and excellence that should make Greensboro people feel proud and redouble their allegiance to the old standby of nearly a quarter of a century. Here's to the Record and its veterans.

CURRENT COMMENT.

Hon. Josephus Daniels was a chief clerk in the Department of the Interior under Grover Cleveland, and it appears to us that of those cabinet jobs that he has been recommended for by both the State Democratic Committee and the press, that he had rather be Secretary of the Interior, than most any of those jobs.—Rocky Mount Telegram.

The Hickory (North Carolina) Democrat invites National Democratic Chairman William F. McCombs down for a visit, adding that "he would not miss visiting his cousins Ellis and Dave Moore McCombs and Misses Amelia and Lizzie. Uncle Ellis can tell him more about his Mecklenburg and Gaston kinfolks than anybody of the McCombs name left down there. All Hickory will welcome Mr. McCombs." But why in old Hickory should Mac want to go there, when all his close kin are the McCombses of Goochland County, Virginia, who will give him a fish fry, all the dewberry cordial he needs and climb the family tree with him as far as mortal man can go?—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

Wilmington has just let the contract for a new Y. M. C. A. building to cost over $80,000. The cities that are making provisions for the betterment and protection of their young men and young women are the cities that will attract the best class of newcomers and the cities that will build up the nearest ideal citizenship.—Charlotte Chronicle.

The head officers of the Norfolk Southern Railroad visited Beaufort Saturday evening and Cape Lookout Sunday morning. Local building contractors believe the Norfolk Southern will make a strong bid to furnish the rock for the breakwater. The company has two large quarries upstate, and it is said that it can furnish rock at as low a figure as anyone and still make a big profit. It is believed that, with this in mind, the company will soon start construction work on the proposed extension to the cape. After the road has been extended to Lookout, great coal piers and docks will have to be constructed, entailing the expenditure of a large sum of money and the employment of a large force of men. This will be separate from the work to be done by the government, which is to construct an immense breakwater a mile and seven-eighths long, at an estimated cost of $5,500,000. All of which is mighty good news for Beaufort, Carteret county and the State.—Beaufort News.

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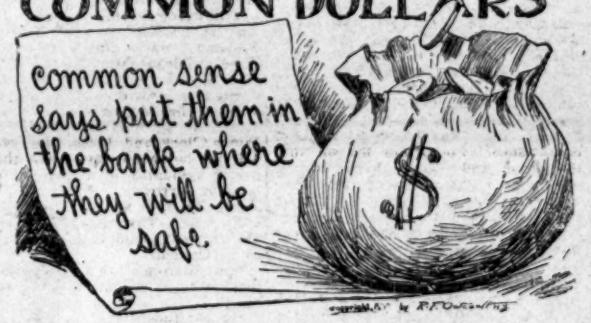

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THROAT CUT FROM EAR TO EAR

Body of An Unidentified Negro Found Along Side the Railroad Tracks on Newbern Road Yesterday—Coroner's Inquest.

Making the second murder in this county within 36 hours the body of an unidentified negro was found lying near the railroad tracks on the Newbern road, about a quarter of a mile beyond the Atlantic Coast Line bridge, which spans Smith's Creek, early yesterday morning. The body was discovered by the foreman of a section gang and he promptly reported the matter to the police. The man's throat was cut almost from ear to ear. His body was still warm when the first officer from police headquarters arrived.

The authorities are of the opinion that the negro was murdered by one of a crowd of gamblers said to infest that neighborhood. Within a short distance of the place where the body lay the officers found a smouldering fire, indicating that a camp had been made there for the night. There was a trail of blood from the camp to the point where the body was found. A razor handle and hat were picked up near the fire. The blade was missing from the handle. That hat is supposed to belong to the dead man. The back pockets of the dead negro were turned inside out. This may or may not be significant.

Dr. Joseph Akerman, acting coroner, summoned a jury and yesterday afternoon began an investigation of the circumstances of the death of the unknown negro. Several witnesses were examined and others will be heard today.

The place where the body was found is just outside the city limits and Sheriff Cowan and his deputies were busy much of yesterday in an effort to run down the guilty party or parties.

The coroner's jury assembled at 3 o'clock in the grand jury's room at the Court House. Mr. H. Mack Godwin was elected foreman and Mr. R. R. Williams was made secretary. Other members of the jury are Messrs. Freeman Yopp, Tom Williams, S. D. Bryant and G. F. Clark. Assistant City Attorney Geo. L. Peschau was present to aid in the exemaination of the witnesses.

The first witness examined was Plainclothesman Leon George, who with other officers went to the scene of the tragedy about 8 o'clock yesterday morning. He was not the first officer to arrive, Hall Officer H. G. Bullard having been the first to reach the place. Mr. George testified that he found the body of a man apparently about 25 years old lying beside the railroad track with his throat cut from ear to ear. He said that they traced blood for one-quarter of a mile up the Newbern road and at this point a puddle of blood was found. There was evidence of a scuffle and there was blood on some of the bushes. Footprints led off into the grass and were lost. In the woods about 200 yards off still more blood was found. Finally the officers came upon an open space, where there was evidence of a camp. A hat was found here and six or eight feet away a razor handle was found. A diligent search failed to disclose the razor blade, which had been broken off at the handle. The hat and razor handle were before the jury and were identified by the officer. The razor handle was covered with blood. At this supposed camp there was a fire and for four or five feet around there were many footprints, some leading from the camp up towards the railroad tracks, where the puddle of blood was discovered. There was evidence of blood here and there on bushes from the camp to the railroad track. Mr. George testified that the body was found stretched on its back with head about six inches from the end of the cross-ties.

Plainclothesman D. W. Coleman, who was the next witness, corroborated the testimony of Officer George.

Officer H. G. Bullard testified that in response to information telephoned to police headquarters he went to the scene of the tragedy on a motorcycle, being the first officer to arrive. He found there three colored men standing up in the middle of the track watching the body. One of these men was, he says, on the section car that first saw the body and had been instructed by his foreman to remain with the body until the police arrived. The negro lying beside the railroad tracks was dead, but his body was still warm. His head was turned towards the west with body lying parallel with the tracks about two feet from the rails and just outside of cross-ties. Mr. Bullard was the first officer to reach the place. The blood, when he first saw him, was running down his breast, or had just run down it, and was still smoking in the cold air. The officer went down the railroad about one-half a mile to the east and then found a puddle of blood. He saw blood beyond this point on the roadbed. There was evidence at this point of a scuffle and it appeared that some one had jumped a ditch. Bushes were broken down. The officer went down to the ditch and saw fresh tracks for about 75 yards. Apparently the tracks continued. The officer returned to the body and remained with it until the coroner arrived. The inside coat pocket of the deceased had been turned wrong side out. The witness and Officer Coleman examined the body to see if there was anything on him by which he could be identified. The whole right arm of the deceased was covered with blood as if the blood had run down his arm while trying to hold it to his throat. The right coat sleeve was also torn.

The last witness examined yesterday afternoon was Mr. W. McIver. He testified that some time before 9 o'clock he heard that a negro had been killed on the Newbern branch of the A. C. L. and that he went to the spot with Officer Leon George. With the officers he circled the woods and saw where some party or parties had evidently camped. He was present when Officer George found a hat and razor handle. He saw blood near the hat and on bushes leading towards the railroad tracks. He said that in a ditch which ran near this camp in a northerly and southerly direction from camp at about right angles to the railroad, he saw tracks and what also seemed to be footprints of somebody who had staggered or been dragged towards the road bed.

One witness, the negro who was on the hand car and stood watch over the body until the arrival of Officer Bullard, was not found during the afternoon and as he is a material witness the jury decided to take a recess at 5 o'clock until 3 o'clock this afternoon. In the meantime it is hoped to summons the negro and possibly other witnesses, as it is desired to go to the bottom of the affair in their investigation.

The body of the deceased was interred yesterday afternoon, but upon the suggestion of Dr. W. D. MacMillan, county superintendent of health, it was exhumed and returned to the undertaking establishment, where it will probably be kept for a day or two in order to allow persons to call there to make identifications, if possible. The jury also visited the body again and made an examination to see if there were any other marks of violence on it. A negro woman told officers late yesterday afternoon that she thought the dead negro was her brother, but when taken to the undertaking establishment she was unable to identify the body. Members of the jury are hopeful of being able to secure some evidence by the time the jury re-assembles that will throw some light on the tragedy.

MRS. CATHERINE A. MONROE.

Wife of Mr. John W. Monroe Passed Away Early This Morning.

Many friends will learn with great sorrow this morning of the death of Mrs. Catharine A. Monroe, the beloved wife of the venerable Mr. John W. Monroe, which occurred at 12:52 o'clock this morning at the family residence in this city, No. 316 North Second street, after feeble health of several months. Last Saturday night Mrs. Monroe suffered a stroke of paralysis, her entire left side being affected. She rallied, however, and until Monday about noon she was conscious. At that time, however, a decline set in and she gradually sank until death came to end her sufferings.

Mrs. Monroe was born March 26th, 1827, near Burgaw, N. C., and she was, therefore, in the 86th year of age. She was a daughter of the late Washington and Martha Collins, of Pender county, and she is the last of a family of eight children. She was married January 20th, 1852, to Mr. John W. Monroe and they had lived happily together for more than 60 years. The family removed to Wilmington shortly before the war and had resided here ever since. She was a member of Keith Presbyterian church, near Burgaw, before coming to Wilmington, having later transferred her membership first to the First Presbyterian church and later to St. Andrew's, of which she had been a devoted member for nearly forty years. She was an Eastern Star Mason and a woman of strong Christian character. She is survived by her venerable husband, now in his 87th year, and three children: Mrs. Mary A. Bryant, Mrs. Hanson W. Collins and Capt. W. P. Monroe, assistant chief of the Wilmington fire department. There are also three grandchildren, William G., James Clark and Jessie May Monroe. All the bereaved ones have the tenderest sympathy of a host of friends in their sorrow.

The funeral will be conducted at 3:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon from the residence and the interment will be in Oakdale.

Mrs. Monroe's life is beautifully described by a friend in the following lines:

"Live for those who love you
For those whose hearts are true,
For the Heaven that smiles above you,
And the good that you may do."

FUNERAL OF MRS. TAYLOR.

Services Held from the First Baptist Church Yesterday Morning.

The funeral of Mrs. James H. Taylor, Sr., whose death occurred Monday morning, was held at 11 o'clock yesterday morning from the First Baptist church, conducted by the pastor, Rev. Dr. J. H. Foster, assisted by Rev. Dr. A. D. McClure, pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church. The sad services were attended by a large concourse of sorrowing relatives and friends and there were many beautiful floral designs. The interment was in Oakdale cemetery. The pall-bearers were: Honorary, Dr. B. J. Willingham and Clayton Giles, Sr.; active, Messrs. W. H. Sprunt, D. H. Penton, W. A. Whitney, W. H. Alderman, B. B. Cavanaugh and Dr A. M. Baldwin.

Mrs. Walter Coney, of Savannah, Ga., a sister of the deceased, who arrived Monday night, was accompanied by her son, Col. Walter E. Coney, who returns today, but Mrs. Coney will remain here for a week longer.

MR. JOHN W. GAY DEAD

Passed Away Yesterday Morning at Early Hour at Leland, N. C.

Friends in Wilmington yesterday learned with regret of the death of Mr. John W. Gay, which occurred at 4 o'clock yesterday morning at his home in Leland, N. C., after a lingering illness with paralysis complicated with Bright's disease. Mr. Gay had been a great sufferer for many months and his passing, while not unexpected, came as a sad blow to the family and friends. He was in the 48th year of his age and is survived by his wife and daughter, Mrs. R. H. McKeithan, of Town Creek, Brunswick county. Mr. Gay was well-known in Wilmington where he visited frequently. He was for several years overseer of the rice plantation of the late Col. John Wilder Atkinson, down the Cape Fear river, and since his removal to Leland frequently visited Wilmington on business. He was a member of Carolina Council, Royal Arcanum, of this city, under the auspices of which the funeral will be conducted at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

Death of Little Daughter.

Relatives in this city have been advised of the death of Mildred Bordeaux, the four-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. A. Bordeaux, which occurred at Bellevue Hospital, New York City, last Saturday night, after a brief illness. Mr. and Mrs. Bordeaux removed to New York City only a few weeks ago and have many friends in Wilmington, who will tenderly sympathize with them in their sorrow. The funeral and interment will take place in this city. The body will arrive either this morning or this evening.

THE RECORDER'S COURT.

Investigation of Case Against Mr. J. M. Woolard—Decision Today.

Yesterday's session of the Recorder's court was featured with the trial of the case against Mr. J. M. Woolard, who is charged with the larceny of two sills from Mr. D. J. Joyner. Substitute Recorder George Harriss presided. The taking of testimony was completed, but argument of counsel was postponed until this morning.

The impression made upon those in the court room was that the State had failed to make out a case against the defendant. Mr. Woolard admits getting the sills, the only question being as to whether he had a right to take them. The defense contends that the element of larceny does not enter the case. It appears that Mr. J. W. Joyner, a brother of the complainant, owed Mr. Woolard $3.50 on an old account. Mr. Joyner works for the Coast Line and he had been given the timber in a box car that had been condemned as unfit for service. There were six sills in the car. Mr. Woolard was building a stable at his home and agreed to take two of the sills on account. He sent for the sills the next day. After the stable had been completed Mr. D. J. Joyner informed him that the sills taken had been sold to him by his brother and he demanded of Mr. Woolard $6 for the timbers. The prosecution claims that the two sills in question were pointed out by Mr. J. W. Joyner as having been sold to his brother and introduced one witness, a negro, who testified that he heard such a conversation between the two men. On the other hand, the defense contends that Mr. Joyner did not say anything about two sills belonging to his brother and introduced a witness, a white man, who testified that he was present when the conversation took place and nothing was said about Mr. Joyner's brother owning two of the sills. The defense also raised the point that the price Mr. D. J. Joyner endeavored to collect for the sills was exorbitant and introduced several witnesses to testify as to the value of such timbers. The sills in question had been in the box car 15 or 20 years and had begun to decay. Several witnesses testified to the good character of the defendant.

L. Clayton Grant, Esq., appears with Assistant City Attorney Peschau for the prosecution, while W. P. Mangum Turner, Esq., represents the defense.

James Nixon, colored, charged with drunkenness and disorderly conduct, was given 30 days on the roads, the sentence to be suspended upon condition that he not appear in court again on a similar charge within 12 months. Buddie Cobb, colored, was found not guilty of assault and battery on John Harris, a small negro boy.

WILL LOCATE PLANT HERE.

United Handle Mills Interests to Establish Plant on Point Peter.

It is stated upon good authority that several gentlemen identified with the United Handle Mills, of 59 and 61 Pearl street, New York City, have acquired from a local company which recently purchased it, the valuable harbor site, comprising Point Peter, and that work will begin within the next few weeks on a large spoke and handle factory to be completed and in operation there early in the new year. The "Point" is situated at the confluence of the Caape Fear and Northeast rivers and has a splendid depth of water and first-class shipping facilities. Representatives of the company have been in the city for some time, concluding arrangements for the establishment of the mill, which will afford a market for the large bodies of sweet gum and other timbers contiguous to this port. The mill will give employment to a large number of people and already inquiries have been made for houses for a number of the skilled employes and clerical force who will be brought here for the new enterprise.

It is stated that the United have for a long time taken the entire output of a local manufacturer of these lines and that with the establishment of the larger plant here, the company will make this one of its principal receiving ports along the South Atlantic seaboard.

Wilmington needs many more of such enterprises and the United people will doubtless receive all the encouragement it desires in its purpose to locate here.

It is understood that the plant here will not be owned and operated by the United people, but the company will be an entirely separate and distinct one in which will be interested Mr. R. M. Ford, treasurer of the United, and several associates. The United Handle Mills is strictly an importing house and it is likely that the product of the new Wilmington plant will be handled by this company. In a letter to the Chamber of Commerce some time ago Mr. Ford stated that 60 men would be employed in the proposed factory here.

STATE PRESS ASSOCIATION.

Winter Meeting at Salisbury, December 11th and 12th.

To the Members of the North Carolina Press Association:

The executive committee of the North Carolina Press Association met November 13th in Salisbury to select the date for the Winter meeting of the association to be held in that city, and to make the necessary arrangements for it.

It was decided to hold the meeting on Wednesday and Thursday, December 11th and 12th.

Business sessions will be held each morning, and the afternoons and evenings will be given over to local entertainment. A trip will be made by special train to the great Whitney dam on Wednesday afternoon and on Wednesday evening a smoker will be given. On Thursday afternoon the editorial party will be taken through the Spencer railroad shops, and in the evening a banquet will be given at the Empire Hotel. The headquarters of the association will be at the Empire, where a rate of $2.00 per day has been secured. Salisbury is anxious to have the editors and will do everything possible to make the meeting one of the most delightful ever held.

Fraternally,
J. B. SHERRILL,
Secretary.

Great Railroad Picture.

Thrilling story of rival engineers and a race for life between two monster locomotives at the Grand Theatre today. (advertisement.)

THE TRUCKERS' ASSOCIATION

Board of Directors in Session Here Yesterday—Plans for Re-organization—Legislative Committee Authorized.

At an enthusiastic meeting of the Board of Directors of the East Carolina Truck & Fruit Growers' Association, in this city yesterday, definite plans were set on foot for carrying into effect the instructions of the general meeting held here during the late Summer, that this important agricultural industry be taken under the wing of the State Board of Agriculture to the end that the interest of the Carolina grower may be fully protected.

Chairman W. E. Springer, of the board, presided and Secretary H. T. Bauman, kept a record of the proceedings. The object of the meeting was stated to be to provide ways and means for successfully carrying forward the work mapped out at the annual meeting, the directors having subsequently adopted a plan for placing the association and the industry under the control of the State Agricultural Department, which means a new era in the life of the industry.

After a full discussion of the recommendations of the annual meeting of stockholders the president was authorized and instructed to appoint a legislative committee to take the matter actively in hand and push the work to a finish before the forthcoming session of the General Assembly. The association in years past has accomplished great and lasting good and the directors present reported the growers in their respective communities as being more interested in the work of the organization than ever before. The experience of last year, it seems, has opened the eyes of many of the berry growers regarding the necessity of a truckers' association. It was stated at the meeting that fully a round hundred thousand dollars were sacrificed and lost to the growers last season by reason of the absence of the association work.

The present plans contemplate a more business-like distribution, more direct information regarding refrigeration and transportation, crop conditions, marketing methods, etc. It is the present plan to place in each of the leading markets an agent of the association who will give to every Carolina shipment an inspection of every berry that arrives in these principal points to the end that the grower may be fully protected from unscrupulous commission men at the other end and may at once definitely fix any responsibility for poor refrigeration and transportation.

Among other business accomplished by the directors at their meeting yesterday was the selection of prominent growers, shippers and merchants at 40-odd of the more important shipping points throughout the district who will hereafter co-operate more closely and directly with the association in all its plans and purposes.

Letters were received from several absent members of the board, detained on account of deaths and sickness in certain families, expressing their regret at not being present, but showing their willingness to stand by any and everything the other directors might agree upon for advancing the cause of the association and the welfare and success of the growers.

The chairman announced that he would appoint the committee authorized at the meeting a little later, desiring to give the most careful attention to the personnel of the committee charged with this important work. Several of the growers in attendance reported very favorably upon the crop outlook for the coming season, among the number being Hon. Jos. A. Brown and Mr. Elroy Bailey, of Chadbourn; Mr. J. A. Westbrook, of Mount Olive, and Mr. William Struthers, of Grists.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Several Deeds Were Filed for Record At Court House Yesterday

Deeds were filed for record yesterday as follows:

B. Oscar Stone, Sr., to J. L. Bolton and wife, for $100 and other considerations, lots 6, 7 and 8, in block 15, Carolina Place.

Chas. S. Burnett and wife to John G. Kuhlken and wife, for $100 and other considerations, lot on east side of Sixth street, 99 feet north of Meares, 66x165 feet in size.

The Southern Realty Development Co., to B. F. Wyatt, of Hamlet, lots 135 and 136, of Lakeside Park.

John E. Taylor and wife to C. C. Chadbourn, for $1,000 and other considerations, lot on the northwest corner of 13th and Castle streets.

D. Wilbon Davis and wife to B. Oscar Stone, Sr., for $100 and other considerations, lot on north side of Meares streets, 150 feet east of Fourth street.

John E. Taylor and wife to Solomon Sternberger and John J. Furlong, for $1 and other considerations, lot on north side of Castle street, 66 feet west of 13th, 66x99 feet in size.

Visited Old Fort Meares

Mr. R. W. Savage, of Willard, who has been living in this city for the past year, a veteran of the Civil War, being a member of Capt. Buie's Company and attached to the First Battalion, under command of the late Col. John D. Taylor, of this city, Monday afternoon visited old Fort Meares, about four miles from the city, where he took part in a hard-fought battle during the War Between the States. He was accompanied by his grand daughter, Miss Viola Meyer, of this city, who, when shown his position in the entrenchment grabbed her grandfather by the hand and exclaimed, "Grandpa, I congratulate you that you were not killed at that time." Mr. Savage picked up a piece of bombshell, which he is carrying home to keep as a relict of the war. This is the only visit he has paid to the spot since the close of hostilities.

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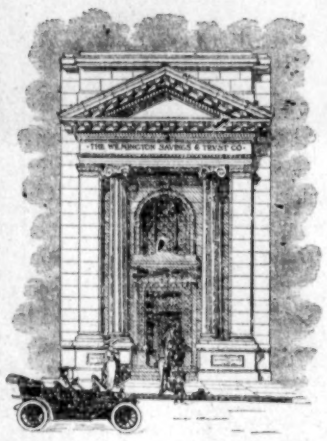

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THE WIRE TAPPING

Mr. B. H. Stephens Had No Connection With the New York Case

Editor Star, City.

Dear Sir: Upon returning to the city yesterday, I was somewhat surprised and for a short time amused at the report that had been circulated throughout the city, which connected my name with the much published wire-tapping fraud that was played in New York city. The serious part of the report did not appeal to me until later in the day when I found that many people were talking in earnest and that they actually believed that I was connected with the project.

Now, in order to correct that impression, so far as I am concerned, I would solicit sufficient space in your columns to state that the first information I had on the subject was through a New York paper read by me in Baltimore on November 9th, while we were awaiting supplies for a launch in which I cruised from Stamford, Conn., to Wilmington; however, I believe the report was based upon the fact that I made a trip to New York city with Dr. Powell and others on August 27th, on a tour of inspection of apartment houses, and that during our stay in New York I was introduced to Mr. "Dowsing," whom I now understand was the man who engineered the proposition at this end of the line. Although he put himself to apparently great inconvenience and trouble to entertain us, there was no mention made of money-making schemes in my presence. This may have been due to the fact that Mr. "Dowsing" did not care to divulge his scheme to any one whom he knew was not in a position to invest "real money," no matter how anxious that one might be to join the ranks of J. Rufus Wallingford and get rich quick.

I, therefore, take this opportunity to emphatically deny any assertion that I possessed the slightest information on or connection with this project, except as outlined above.

Very respectfully,
B. H. STEPHENS.

RED CROSS SEALS.

More Than 40 Cities Have Ordered Stamps—Wilmington Leads.

More than 40 cities in North Carolina have indicated their intention to place Red Cross Christmas Seals on sale this year.

Wilmington has ordered 80,000 and leads the State, Winston-Salem 50,000, Troy 2,000; Asheville 5,000; Greensboro 10,000; Oxford 10,000; Raleigh 40,000; Elkin 1,500; Charlotte 100,000; Cornelius 1,000; Graham 6,000; Andrews 1,000; King's Mountain 2,000; Bessemer City 4,000; Wilson 5,000; Norwood 2,000; Edenton 2,000; Kernersville 500; Southern Pines 2,000; Warrenton 2,000; High Point 15,000; Reidsville 5,000; Marshall 5,000; Boardman 1,000; Weaversville 500; Chapel Hill 5,000; Lenoir 2,500; Snow Hill 1,500; Kinston 15,000; Ashboro 2,000; Ansonville 500.

Many other cities have signified their intention of selling the seals, but have not yet indicated the number desired. The seals are furnished through the State Red Cross Seal Commission in Charlotte. They sell at one cent each and all the money received from the sale goes toward fighting tuberculosis, 75 per cent. remaining in the city where the seals are sold.

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SOCIAL & PERSONAL

Mrs. William Latimer has returned from a short visit to relatives and friends at Savannah, Ga.

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Capt. L. A. McLaurin, of Laurinburg, is visiting his cousin, Mrs. E. Y. Davis, Carolina Heights.

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Mrs. Alex. Oldham, of Baltimore, is visiting the family of her cousin, Mrs. James C. Davis, at Carolina Place.

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Miss Noel Hardy, of Seven Springs, and Mrs. Chas. McDaniel, of Newbern, arrived yesterday to attend the Brittain-Beery nuptials today.

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Mrs. Geo. P. James, of Washington, D. C., is expected to arrive this morning to visit her sister, Mrs. Thos. W. Davis, at Carolina Heights.

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Mrs. Rachael Johnson and her son, Thomas, have returned from Darlington, S. C., where they visited Mrs. Johnson's sister, Mrs. J. T. Crelly.

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Many friends of Mr. J. H. W. Bonitz will be pleased to learn that his condition appears to be much improved. He has been seriously ill for several days.

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Miss Annie Kidder has returned from a pleasant visit to points in New York, New Hampshire and other Northern States and is at home at No. 121 South Fifth street.

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The music department of North Carolina Sorosis will hold its regular monthly meeting this afternoon at 4 o'clock in the Masonic Temple. All members are urged to attend.

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George Davis Chapter, Children of the Confederacy, will meet at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon at the W. L. I. armory. Officers for the ensuing year will be elected at this time.

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The Literature Department of the Sorosis are urgently requested to meet at the home of the chairman, 207 South Fourth street, this afternoon at 4 o'clock to make fancy articles for their booth at the club house fair.

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Miss Hazel Thomas and Miss Bertha Groeschel, of Chester, S. C., arrived yesterday for the Brittain-Beery wedding today. Miss Thomas will be maid of honor and Miss Groeschel will be one of the bridesmaids.

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Complimentary to Miss Elliotte Emerson, whose marriage to A. S. Williams, Esq., takes place next Wednesday afternoon, Miss Carrie Harriss charmingly entertained at a tea at her home on Princess street, Carolina Heights, yesterday afternoon.

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Mr. Allan Jones, of Columbia, S. C., has returned to his home after spending a few days here. His engagement to Miss Helen Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Williams, was announced some time ago. The wedding will take place in January.

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A special meeting of the Literature Department of Sorosis will be held tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock in the library, Masonic Temple. Rev. W. H. Milton, D. D., will talk to the department on the subject of the year's study. Not only the members of the department, but the entire club is cordially invited to attend and bring a guest.

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Mrs. G. Herbert Smith entertained at an elaborate dinner at the handsome club house of the Cape Fear Country Club, just east of the city, last evening in compliment to Miss Marguerite Short, of Lake Waccamaw, and Mr. Thomas Garnett Tabb, of Richmond, Va., whose marriage will take place tomorrow. The dinner was served in 10 courses and there were about 40 guests in attendance. Most of these were out-of-town guests here for the wedding.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Brown and Mrs. J. Stevenson Brown entertained a few days ago at an enjoyable linen shower in compliment to Miss Nellie Corbett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Corbett, whose marriage to Mr. Thomas Edwin Brown will be celebrated today. The highly enjoyable affair was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Brown, at Winter Park Gardens, and was attended by a number of the bride's young lady friends.

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Invitations reading as follows have been issued:

Mrs. E. J. Ketchum
requests the honor of your presence at
the marriage of her daughter
Dalice Farrow
to
Mr. Augustus White
Wednesday evening, the twenty-seventh of November, nineteen hundred and twelve, at 8:30 o'clock
Seagate Baptist Church
Seagate, N. C.

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Friends in the city and elsewhere have received handsmely engraved invitations reading as follows:

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Holton request the honor of your presence
at the marriage of their daughter
FannieVanAmringe
to
Mr. Jacob Winfield Russ
on the evening of Tuesday, November twenty-sixth
Southside Baptist church
Wilmington, N. C.

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Following the rehearsal at St. Paul's Lutheran church last night, for the wedding of Mr. Fred. Banck and Miss Katherine Gieschen, which will be celebrated this evening, a reception was tendered the bridal party at the home of Mr. J. G. L. Gieschen, father of the bride-elect. It was a very enjoyable affair. The cutting of the wedding cake was one of the features. The thimble was cut by Miss Bertie Hanson and the collar button by Mr. Will Cronenberg. The dime, which had been placed in the cake, was not located.

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Mrs. U. C. Ellis and Mrs. J. S. Brittain charmingly entertained at a china shower at the home of Mrs. Ellis, No. 2[illegible] Church street, yesterday afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock, in compliment to Miss Beulah Beery, whose marriage to Mr. A. Gordon Brittain will take place today. The delightful affair was attended by about 15 young ladies. The china was tastefully displayed in the sitting room. A number of very pretty pieces were received. Refreshments were served during the afternoon. The hall was prettily decorated with ferns and cut flowers and the dining room was appropriately decorated with early chrysanthemums, ferns and cut flowers. The affair was one of the most enjoyable of the several that have been given in honor of the bride-elect.

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Friends in this city have received invitations reading as follows:

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Henry Jones, Jr.
invite you
to be present at the marriage of their daughter Emmie
to
Mr. Horace Whaley Phillips
on the evening of Wednesday, the twenty-seventh of November
one thousand nine hundred and twelve
at six o'clock
Christian Church
Suffolk, Virginia

The prospective groom is a son of Mr. H. B. Phillips, manager of the Beaufort County Produce Co., and visited Wrightsville Beach the past Summer. Announcement of the engagement of his sister, Miss Margaret Phillips, of Suffolk, Va., and Mr. J. Ross McNeal, of Burgaw, was made only a few days ago.

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The regular monthly meeting of Cape Fear Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, was held at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the W. L. I. armory with a large attendance. Informal reports were received from the delegates who attended the general convention in Washington, D. C., last week and these were listened to with much interest. It was decided to defer until a later meeting the election of officers for the ensuing year. The wreath committe for the month was appointed as follows: Mrs. W. B. Cooper, Mrs. John Hazelhurst, Mrs. W. E. Powell.

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A great many of the out-of-town guests for the marriage of Miss Marguerite Short and Mr. Garnett Tabb, of Richmond, Va., have arrived. The wedding takes place tomorrow. The visitors were entertained yesterday afternoon at Wrightsville Sound at an oyster roast by Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Skelding. The bride-elect is a sister of Mrs. Skelding. Last night Mrs. G. Herbert Smith entertained at an elaborate dinner in honor of the bridal party and Thursday evening Mrs. Allan Nichols will entertain at dinner. Miss Helen Strange, cousin of the bride, will give a luncheon, and there will be other social affairs in honor of the bridal party. It was expected that Miss Eleanor Wilson, daughter of President-elect Wilson, would be one of the attendants at the wedding, but owing to the fact that she went with her father and other members of the family to Bermuda, she will not be here. Miss Wilson and Miss Short were schoolmates at St. Mary's College, Raleigh, and were close friends. She visited Miss Short here about two years ago.

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PROGRAMME FOR AUTUMN FAIR TO BE HELD SATURDAY NIGHT

The programme for the Autumn Fair to be given Thursday evening, November 21st, by Letitia Lodge, Daughters of Rebekah, has been announced. Mr. S. F. Garrison is manager of the event. The programme will be as follows:

Selection—Cape Fear Independent Band.
Reading—Mrs. C. B. Davis.
Duet—Miss Ruth Parker and Master Archie Parker.
Solo—Mrs. L. O. Ellis.
Reading—Miss Grace Craig.
Trio—Misses Bessie and Minnie Fulton and Isabelle Delamar.
Selection—C. F. I. Band.
Minstrel—S. A. Matthews, interlocutor; Aaron Goldberg and Ed. Bower, end men; quartette, E. B. Stafford, first tenor; Rodger M. Schulken, second tenor; L. J. Meredith, baritone; Robert C. Ruark, bass; Gibson Mandolin, Guitar Club, W. G. Hatch, guitar; C. B. Lynch, S. P. McIver and C. Whittey, mandolin.

The programme of the minstrel will be as follows: Opening chorus; jokes by Ed. Brewer; selection by Mandolin Club; selection by quartette; jokes by Aaron Goldberg; song, Aaron Goldberg; selection by Mandolin Club; dancing by Ed. Brewer; selection by quartette; closing piece, "Tapping the Wire."

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THE RED CROSS SEALS READY FOR DISTRIBUTION.

The Wilmington Chapter of the National Red Cross Society has just secured and placed on sale at the drug stores, bookstores and other places $0,000 of the handsome Red Cross Christmas seals which promise to be even more popular than ever this year. The ladies are hoping for a very large sale and they confidently expect the Wilmington public to do its full share towards disposing of the large number of seals contracted for. It is especially desired that the merchants use the stamps on the December bills when they are mailed. In no other way can the character of a business house be more correctly estimated than by the appearance of the pretty little stamp on its stationery and this year Wilmington must do her part as other cities of the State are going to try to outstrip her if posaible in the sale of the pretty little souvenirs.

Seventy five per cent. of every penny taken in from the sale of these stamps go to tuberculosis work right here in Wilmington and no city of the State has done more effective tuberculosis work than has Wilmington. A sanitarium is being established here, a district nurse is maintained the year round and no case is allowed to go neglected. This money is from Wilmington people for Wilmington people and everybody should buy stamps and keep them on hand for future use.

Handsome posters have been displayed prominently in Wilmington advertising the seals and the ladies confidently expect the largest sale on record.

—License was issued yesterday for the marriage of Mr. Martin VanOesen and Miss Adeline Behrends, both formerly of Germany.

New Song by Mr. Chick.

One of the greatest ballads ever written at the Grand Theatre today.

(Advertisement.)

..Theatrical..

The Aborn Opera Company will offer at the Academy today at matinee and night what is conceded to be the most gigantic production of Balfe's perennial opera, "The Bohemian Girl" in English, that has ever been presented on the American stage. This Paris version, specially designed and arranged for the gala season of the French Second Empire, quite different from the old English version with which the present generation of opera-goers are familiar, is one to be seen here. The Messrs. Aborn promise the same stupendous spectacular presentation that proved such a revelation to theatre-goers last season, a double cast of soloists, corps de ballet, chorus, special orchestra and in order to lend realism to the several great scenes, are a band of real gypsies, a troupe of horses, whirlwind acrobats, etc.

Seats for both performances are now on sale at Plummer's and indications point to two large audiences. The company carries its own special orchestra, to augment the Academy's orchestra.

Bernhardt in Moving Pictures.

The biggest and most pretentious thing in moving pictures presented by no less a distinguished person in theatricals than Mr. Daniel Frohman, will be offered by the Academy of Music three days next week, matinees and nights. The offering is best described by the following from the New York Herald:

"To present in motion pictures well known players of the legitimate stage in the plays and roles which have won fame for them is the purpose of a concern recently incorporated in this State, of which Daniel Frohman is the managing director. The firm, which is called The Famous Players Film Company, with a capital stock of $250,000, will begin operations soon, having purchased the American right of Mme. Sarah Bernhardt's production, "Queen Elizabeth," in which she appeared in the title role.

"Arrangements also have been made with James O'Neill for a performance of 'Monte Cristo', which will be acted by Mr. O'Neill and a larger company, including several players in the original production, on the natural settings in Bermuda, where the tropical background lends itself to the atmosphere of the Dumas novel.

"James K. Hackett is to appear in 'The Prisoner of Zenda', and 'The Pride of Jennico', while another well known player, Henry E. Dixey, soon will act before the camera."

At The Bijou

A trio of great films will be offered today by the popular, fascinating Bijou. The notable offering will be the great triumvirate of films, one carrying a big moral with it. It tells of a young man who leaves his country home and when he succeeds in life, winning fame and fortune, forgets about his old mother and the sweetheart left at home. Amidst society's glamour he suddenly realizes, and returns home. It is a film sensational and of deep meaning.

Another strong dramatic film for today is "The Branded Arm." It is an

Indian tale. A mischievous boy applies a branding iron to his sister's arm, leaving a searing scar, but this mark plays an important part in the life of the child, who is stolen by the Indians and is reared thinking herself an Indian.

The other member of today's big Bijou trio is a fun picture, "An Eventful Elopement." A cross old father tries to keep his daughter from being married, but he is attacked with the gout and has to employ a detective, who gets things mixed and arrests the wrong couple, while the lovers scamper off and get married.

Big Bill at the Grand.

The Grand Theatre continues to pack 'em in and the crowds are more and more delighted with the splendid offering in vaudeville at the small prices charged. The soloist, Mr. Chick, is winning fresh laurels and for today he will sing one of the classiest high-class ballads of the week. It is entitled "Love is the Only Thing in Life," by Arthur J. Lamb and J. Fred Helf, the greatest of all ballad writers.

In the moveys the big feature for today is "The Rival Engineers," a great railroad picture by Kalem. There is a story of love between son and daughter of rival engineers, the incipiency and the climax of a great strike and at length a race for life between two giant locomotives. The story is pretty, thrilling and full of pathos. The collision scene between the racing locomotives is in itself one of the most thrilling features ever depicted in maving pictures. Railroad men and engineers especially will appreciate this film while all will be delighted with it.

The other feature picture for today is "Gold and Glitter," a Biograph, detailing the story of an absent husband who forgets his home and devoted wife, finally to be brought back and restored to the woman of his love. Then in addition to these two there will be a third picture and perhaps a fourth. The bill for today will be found one of the very best of the week.

—Athney Moore, colored, had his right leg broken between the knee and ankle up the river yesterday afternoon, probably at one of the factories, and was brought here by boat and taken to the James Walker Memorial Hospital, where he is being treated.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. P. H. Sears, of Vineland, was in the city yesterday on business.

—Mr. Isaac Strickland, of Dunn, is here attending United States Court.

—Mr. S. L. Colvert, manager of the National Biscuit Co.'s office in this city, left Monday night for New York on business.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Murray returned to their home yesterday evening after spending several weeks at the home of Mr. L. F. Harper, No. 1313 North Fourth street.

—Mrs. J. Spillman left yesterday afternoon for Newbern, where she will join her husband, who will be engaged there for the Winter. Mr. and Mrs. Spillman have been living at No. 804 Grace street.

—Former Solicitor Rodolph Duffy and E. M. Koonce, Esq., of Onslow, were among last evening's arrivals in the city. They are here to attend Federal Court in a civil action to be taken up during the present term.

—Guests at The Southern yesterday morning included A. T. Clark, Bolton; M. C. Stevens, Excelsior; L. F. Swain, Beaufort; Sheriff W. R. Atkinson, Burgaw; A. B. Neol, Hamlet; E. G. Edwards, Bolton; F. Bradshaw, Rose Hill.

—Among yesterday's guests at The Orton were P. H. Sears, Whiteville; J. A. Brown, Chadbourn; J. K. Morrisey, Clinton; Claudius Dockery, Raleigh; W. J. Gobright, Greensboro; B. R. King, Goldsboro; R. D. Johnson, Jos. E. Johnson, Warsaw; Ben Campen, Goldsboro; J. S. Kerr, Charlotte; J. T. Hearn, Mt. Airy; Jno. T. Rivers, Polkton; John F. McDonald, C. E. Clark, Dr. S. A. Smith, Bolton; W. C. White, Vanceboro; E. W. Simpkins, Newbern; J. A. Westbrook, Mount Olive; W. H. Croswell, Whiteville; Misses Williams, Clinton; St. Julian L. Springs, Lake Waccamaw.

LOCAL DOTS.

—Civil action was started in Superior Court yesterday by Daniel Bryant, colored, to compel the Wynnewood Lumber Co., to remove a fence which it is alleged the company has built around plaintiff's property at corner of Corbett street and a unnamed street, in such manner as to obstruct the approach to his store. John D. Bellamy & Son appear for the plaintiff.

—Suit has been instituted in Superior Court by Anthony Davis, colored, against the Wilmington Cooperage Co. It is an action for damages for alleged personal injuries received by the plaintiff a few weeks ago while in the employ of the company. While the complaint has not yet been filed it is understood that $10,000 damages will be sought. Geo. F. Meares, Esq., appears for the plaintiff.

PURCHASES CITY BLOCK.

Mr. R. L. Boney, of Wallace, Buys Residential Block in City.

Through Mr. L. J. Carter, president of the Hanover Realty Co., Mr. R. L. Boney, one of the progressive citizens of Wallace, N. C., yesterday purchased from the estate of the late Col. Roger Moore the valuable block of residential property bounded by Dock and Orange and 12th and 13th streets. The property is situated in a rapidly growing section of the city, in close proximity to the handsome new Bear Memorial School Building, and, it is understood, that the owner will greatly improve and build desirable cottages on the site. The block is included in the plans of the city engineer for the extension of the sewerage system and will have all the advantages of the suburbs without the disadvantages of the city. The consideration for the property is stated to have been between $8,000 and $9,000.

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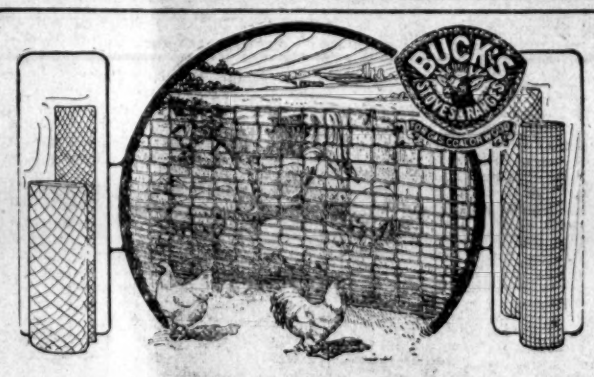

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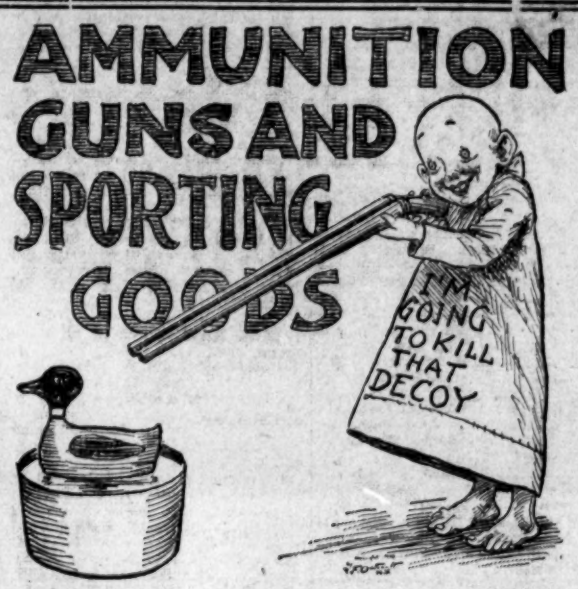

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Financial and Commercial

COTTON MADE NEW HIGH MARK

Increased Activity and Buying Movement Sent Prices to Highest Point of the Season—Close 12 to 45 Points Up.

New York, Nov. 19.—There was increased activity in the cotton market today, and an excited buying movement sent prices to a new high level for the season. Slight reactions occurred in the late trading, but the close was within 3 or 4 points of the best, and the final tone was steady, at a net gain of from 12 to 45 points.

The market opened firm at an advance of 17 to 25 points on renewal of yesterday's buying movement, which was encouraged by higher cables and bullish spot advices. It was said that old longs were replacing their cotton; that recent sellers were covering and that there was a fresh demand for long account.

Offerings were extremely heavy at the start and prices eased off five or six points, but quickly firmed up again on a further broadening of outside demand, and continued active covering by near months shorts. Reports of a good inquiry for the local stock, the apparent failure of New York contracts to attract shipments here from the interior and rumors that low grade penalties might be slightly increased by the local revision committee at its meeting tomorrow appeared for the strength of December and that position lead the advance, selling to 12.14 during the afternoon or 41 points net higher, and 74 points above the low level of last week. January shared the December strength, selling 31 points net higher, while later deliveries showed gains of from 22 to 27 points. Realizing checked the upward movement after 2 o'clock, and reactions of 5 or 6 points occurred from the best, but no weakness developed and December contracts closed within a point of the record figures.

Spot closed steady. Middling uplands, 12.40; middling gulf, 12.65; sales, 2,000.

Cotton futures closed steady.

Month:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Nov	11.77	.....	.....	12.05
Dec	11.90	12.14	11.85	12.14
Jan	12.04	12.17	12.00	12.14
March	12.21	12.30	12.16	12.27
May	12.23	12.30	12.17	12.28
July	12.26	12.30	12.17	12.29

THE PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Firm, 12¼; net receipts, 45,533; gross receipts, 45,533; sales, 779; stock, 446,464.

New Orleans—Steady, 12 3-16; net receipts, 15,798; gross receipts, 15,864; sales, 2,400; stock, 223,244; Great Britain, 10,000.

Mobile—Net receipts, 3,290; gross receipts, 3,290; stock, 41,625.

Savannah—Steady, 12¼; net receipts, 13,541; gross receipts, 13,541; sales, 4,135; stock, 208,554; continent, 19,711; coastwise, 2,247.

Charleston—Steady, 12¼; net receipts, 736; gross receipts, 710; stock, 50,534; coastwise, 2,375.

Wilmington—Steady, 12; net receipts, 4,651; gross receipts, 4,651; stock, 15,927; continent, 14,605.

Norfolk—Steady, 12 7-16; net receipts, 8,947; gross receipts, 8,947; sales, 1,244; stock, 68,372; constwise, 6,256.

Baltimore—Nominal, 12½; stock, 11,196.

New York—Steady, 12.40; gross receipts, 8,355; sales, 2,600; stock, 110,103; continent, 764.

Boston—Steady, 12.40; net receipts, 221; gross receipts, 2,027; stock, 14,097; Great Britain, 4,040; continent, 100.

Philadelphia—Firm, 12.65; stock, 4,126.

Pensacola—Net receipts, 709; gross receipts, 709; France, 709.

Texas City—Net receipts, 7,187; gross receipts, 7,187; stock, 60,753.

Brunswick—Stock, 36,220.

Aransas Pass—Stock, 3,577.

Jacksonville—Stock, 1,271.

San Francisco—Net receipts, 5,100; gross receipts, 5,100; Japan, 5,100.

Total today at all ports—Net, 105,687; Great Britain, 14,040; France, 709; continent, 35,180; Japan, 5,100; stock, 1,296,041.

Consolidated, at all ports—Net, 290,806; Great Britain, 92,426; France, 30,258; continent, 84,730; Japan, 20,767.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports—Net, 4,728,322; Great Britain, 1,520,273; France, 470,306; continent, 1,229,797; Japan, 59,273; Mexico, 200.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Steady, 12¼; net receipts, 15,287; gross receipts, 15,287; shipments, 13,692; sales, 1,775; stock, 144,700.

Augusta—Steady, 12⅞; net receipts, 3,459; gross receipts, 3,682; shipments, 1,728; sales, 1,696; stock, 87,933.

Memphis—Steady, 12⅜; net receipts, 5,307; gross receipts, 11,384; shipments, 9,408; sales, 4,400; stock, 100,757.

St. Louis—Steady, 12⅜; net receipts, 225; gross receipts, 3,134; shipments, 3,849; sales, 737; stock, 11,559.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 1,215; gross receipts, 1,215; shipments, 1,117; stock, 9,103.

Little Rock—12¼; net receipts, 2,198; gross receipts, 2,198; shipments, 2,602; stock, 40,745.

Total today—Net receipts, 27,691; gross receipts, 36,900; shipments, 31,256; sales, 7,944; stock, 400,876.

NAVAL STORES.

New York, Nov. 19.—Turpentine, steady. Rosin, quiet.

Charleston, Nov. 19.—Turpentine, firm, at 37@37½.

Rosin—Firm. Quote: A, B, C, 5.95; D, 5.92; E, F, G, 5.90@5.92½; H, 5.95@6.00; I, 5.95; K, 6.45; M, 7.00; N, 7.60; W G, 8.15; W W, 8.45.

Savannah, Nov. 19.—Turpentine, firm at 36¼@37. Sales, 636; receipts, 1,015; shipments, 393; stock, 32,954.

Rosin—Firm. Sales, 2,785; receipts, 4,345; shipments, 1,323; stock, 128,525. Quote: A, B, C, 5.95; D, 5.92½; E, 5.90@5.92½; F, G, H, 5.95@6.00; I, 5.95; K, 6.45; M, 7.00; N, 7.60; W G, 8.15; W W, 8.45.

THE LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Liverpool, Nov. 19.—Spot cotton, quiet; prices, firm. American middling, 7.39; good middling, 7.05; middling, 6.85; low middling, 6.67; good ordinary, 6.21; ordinary, 5.73.

Sales, 7,000 bales, of which 1,000 were for speculation and export and included 6,000 American. Receipts, 61,000 bales, including 5,500 American. Futures opened firm and closed steady. November and December, 6.59; December and January, 6.57; January and February, 6.56½; February and March, 6.56; March and April, 6.55½; April and May, —; May and June, 6.55; June and July, 6.54½; July and August, 6.53; August and September, 6.44½; September and October, 6.28½; October and November, 6.23½.

—The schooner Philips M. Brooks, Capt. Sanders, arrived yesterday from Jersey City with cargo of salt to be discharged at the Seaboard Air Line terminals. The vessel came to Messrs. Mafflitt & Wood.

PORTO RICO'S NEW WONDER.

From far away Porto Rico come reports of a wonderful new discovery that is believed will vastly benefit the people. Ramon T. Marchan, of Barceloneta, writes: "Dr. King's New Discovery is doing splendid work here. It cured me about five times of terrible coughs and colds, also my brother of a severe cold in his chest and more than 20 others, who used it on my advice. We hope this great medicine will yet be sold in every drug store in Porto Rico." For throat and lung troubles it has no equal. A trial will convince you of its merit. 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by R. R. Bellamy.

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Prospect of Peace in the Balkans Carried Prices to Lowest Figures on This Year's Crop—Closed Weak—Grain.

Chicago, Nov. 19.—Belief that peace was near, in the Balkans, carried wheat down today to the lowest figures on this year's crop. The market closed weak, 1⅞ to 1⅝ @1¾c. under last night.

Corn finished ⅛c. off to ¼c. up.

Oats, ⅛ lower to a like advance.

Provisions ranged from a 5 cent decline to a rise of 7½c.

Cash grain:

Wheat—No. 2, red, 1.00@1.04; No. 2, hard, 86@88; No. 2, Northern, 84@88.

Corn—No. 2, 35½; No. 2, white, 35; No. yellow, 56½@57¼.

Oats—No. 2, 31; No. 2, white, 34@35; Standard, 33@33½.

Closing prices:

Wheat—December, 84⅞; May, 90¼@90⅝; July, 87⅝.

Corn—November, —; December, 47⅛; May, 47¼@47⅜; July, 48@48¼.

Oats—December, 37¼@37⅜; May, 32⅛; July, 32½.

Pork—January, 18.05; May, 18.37½.

Lard—November, 11.40; December, 11.07½ @11.10; January, 10.77½; May, 10.25.

Ribs—January, 10.17½; May, 9.87½.

MARINE.

Arrived.

Schr. Philips M. Brooks, 243 tons, Sanders, Jersey City, Mafflit & Wood.

Str. Duplin, Stokes, Smith's Bridge, J. W. Brooks.

Cleared.

Str. Carib, 2,080 tons, Hale, Georgetown, H. G. Smallbones.

Str. City of Fayetteville, ..dge, Fayetteville, S. M. King.

Str. Duplin, Stokes, Smith's Bridge, J. W. Brooks.

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Str. Mariner (Br.), 1,533 tons, Morrison, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Schooners.

Schr. Philip M. Brooks, 243 tons, Sanders, Mafflitt & Wood.

Stephen G. Loud, 400 tons, Graham, Mafflitt & Wood; in distress.

Barks.

Bk. Matanzas, 929 tons, Walls, Mafflit & Wood.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at the Port of Wilmington.

Wilmington, N. C., Nov. 19.

Atlantic Coast Line—3,960 bales cotton; 6 barrels tar; 8 barrels crude turpentine.

Seaboard Air Line—612 bales cotton.

River Steamers—79 bales cotton.

Schr. Clarence H.—17 casks spirits turpentine; 83 barrels rosin.

Total—4,651 bales cotton; 17 casks spirits turpentine; 83 barrels rosin; 6 barrels tar; 8 barrels crude turpentine.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)

Wilmington, Nov. 14.

Market stronger, all grades advancing.

North Carolinas—Farmers' stock: Prime hand-picked, $1.05; machine picked, $1.00.

Spanish—Prime hand-picked, $1.10; machine picked, $1.05.

Virginias—Prime hand-picked, 90c.; machine picked, 85c.

WILMINGTON MARKETS

STAR OFFICE, Nov. 19.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market steady at 36¾.

ROSIN—Steady, at $5.75.

TAR—Firm, $2.20 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Firm, $3.25 per barrel for hard; $4.25 for dip; $4.25 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year: Spirits turpentine, 45¾; rosin, $5.40; tar, $1.80; crude turpentine, $3.50 for hard; $4.50 for dip; $4.50 for virgin.

Receipts.

Spirits Turpentine	17
Rosin	83
Tar	6
Crude Turpentine	8

Receipts same day last year, 20 casks spirits turpentine; 235 barrels rosin; 23 barrels tar; 21 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Steady, 12.

Same day last year, 9.

Receipts, 4,651; same day last year, 2,707 bales.

Total receipts since Sept. 1st, 216,483 bales.

Total receipts same time last year, 244,141 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, Nov. 19.)

CORN—Firm; 90c. per bu.

POTATOES—Irish potatoes, 85c. to 95c. per bu. Sweet potatoes, dull, 50 to 60c.

BEEF—On foot, good demand, 3@4c. per lb.; dressed, 8c.

PORK—Dull, 9 to 10c.

WOOL—Burry, 15 to 18c. per lb.; free of burr, 25c. per lb.

HIDES—Green, 11c. per lb.; dry, 13 to 16 2-3c. per lb.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON—Hams, old, 19 to 20c. per lb.; sides and shoulders, 13½ to 14c. per lb.

BEESWAX—Firm; 27@28c. per lb.

TALLOW—Firm; 4½ to 5c. per lb.

POULTRY—Chickens, grown, dull, 45 to 50c. Chickens, Spring, 18 to 35c. per head. Turkeys, on foot, dull, 18c.

SHEEP—Old, $1.00@$2.50; lambs, $1.00 @$3.00.

EGGS—Good demand, 25c.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, Nov. 19.—Flour, quiet.

Wheat—Weak. No. 2, red, 1.06@1.07; No. 1, Northern Duluth, 94.

Corn—Steady, 52¾.

Leather—Firm.

Hides—Firm.

Petroleum—Firm.

Wool—Steady.

Molasses—Steady.

Rice—Firm.

Sugar—Raw, steady; refined, quiet.

Butter—Firm; unchanged.

Cheese—Steady; unchanged.

Coffee—Spot, quiet. Rio, No. 7, 14⅜; Santos, No. 4, 16½; mild, quiet; Cordova, 16¼@18.

Potatoes—Easier. Southern sweets, 1.25@2.25.

Cabbages—Steady at unchanged prices.

Freights—Steady; unchanged.

Peanuts—Steady; unchanged.

Cotton Seed Oil—Active and higher on covering of November and December shorts, new speculative buying inspired by the strength in cotton and firmer crude markets. Closing prices were 4 to 6 points net higher. Total sales, 24,700 barrels. Prime crude, 494 sales; do. Summer, yellow, 6.02@6.08; November, 6.03; December, 6.00; January, 6.09; February, 6.13; March, 6.20; April, 6.23; May, 6.32. Prime Winter yellow, 6.50@6.55; do. Summer white, 6.10@6.50.

THE DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, Nov. 19.—The cotton goods ruled firm, with trade of limited volume, owing to the scarcity of spot goods. Wool blankets will soon be opened for Fall, 1913, and sharp advances are looked for. Yarns ruled steady. Export trade was quiet. Jobbers are doing a very fair trade for this period of the year.

STOCKS RALLIED SLIGHTLY

Opening Was Heavy and Quotations Gave Way—News of Prospect of Peace in the Balkans Acted as a Mild Tonic.

New York, Nov. 19.—After a temporary depression, stocks rallied today and at the close net changes among the principal issues were small. The opening was heavy and quotations in the early trading gave way on comparatively small offerings. The downward drift apparently was nothing more than the response to professional operations.

Among the most active stocks Reading was the only issue to lose as much as a point. Canadian Pacific, which was weak in London before the opening, continued falling, declining three-quarters of a point. News of the prospects for peace in the Balkans acted as a mild tonic and in the midday trading the losses among the representative stocks were recovered. Once this was accomplished, however, the improvement stopped. Toward the close, quotations eased off slightly.

The most conspicuous changes of the day were among stocks ordinarily inactive, some of which were subjected to steady pressure. American Brake Shoe, preferred, lost 18 points; American Woolen, 5½; Bethlehem Steel, 2⅝; American Cotton Oil, which recently has attracted some attention by its rise, lost 2 points. Vulcan Detinning was an exception, with a gain of 3½. In view of the better prospects for the ending of the Balkan war, a decline in foreign exchange rates attracted some attention. Demand for sterling fell to the lowest point of the year. A settlement of the war would cause a decided relaxation in financial circles in Europe, encourage the return to regular channels of large amounts of money which have been held up for more than two months, and it is thought might place American bankers in a position to bid successfully again for a part of the weekly offerings of South African gold in the London market.

Bonds were dull. Total sales, par value, $1,840,000. United States bonds, unchanged on call. Total sales today, 262,900 shares.

CLOSING STOCK LIST.

Amalgamated Copper	84⅞
American Agricultural	56⅝
American Beet Sugar	54
American Can	41⅞
American Can, pfd	122½
American Car and Foundry	59½
American Cotton Oil	38½
American Ice Securities	19¼
American Linseed	13½
American Locomotive	47
American Smelting and Ref	79
Amer. Smelting and Ref., pfd	106
American Sugar Refining	120¾
American Tel and Tel	142½
American Tobacco	269
Anaconda Mining Co	43½
Atchison	107⅝
Atchison, pfd	101⅝
Atlantic Coast Line	137⅝
Baltimore and Ohio	103¾
Bethlehem Steel	39½
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	89¼
Canadian Pacific	264⅜
Central Leather	28¼
Chesapeake and Ohio	81
Chicago Great Western	18¾
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	114½
Chicago and North Western	137⅝
Colorado Fuel and Iron	35½
Consolidated Gas	142¾
Corn Products	15⅝
Delaware and Hudson	167½
Denver and Rio Grande	21⅜
Denver and Rio Grande, pfd	40¾
Distillers' Securities	26⅜
Erie	34⅛
Erie, 1st pfd	51
Erie, 2nd pfd	42½
General Electric	182
Great Northern, pfd	138
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	45½
Illinois Central	127¼
Interborough Met	19⅝
Interborough-Met., pfd	65⅜
Inter Harvester	121
Inter Marine, pfd	19½
International Paper	13¾
International Pump	23½
Kansas City Southern	27¾
Laclede Gas	105
Lehigh Valley	174½
Louisville and Nashville	145¾
Minn., St. P. and Sault Ste Marie	141
Missouri, Kansas and Texas	28
Missouri Pacific	43¾
National Biscuit	132¾
National Lead	59
Nat. Rys. of Mexico, 2nd pfd	26¾
New York Central	114½
New York, Ont. and Western	34⅜
Norfolk and Western	115½
North American	83
Northern Pacific	124¾
Pacific Mail	34½
Pennsylvania	123
People's Gas	115¾
Pittsburg, C. C. and St. Louis	100¾
Pittsburg Coal	23
Pressed Steel Car	37⅝
Pullman Palace Car	165
Reading	170¾
Republic Iron and Steel	28
Republic Iron and Steel, pfd	89⅜
Rock Island Co	25¼
Rock Island Co., pfd	49½
St. Louis and San Fran., 2nd pfd	31⅝
Seaboard Air Line	20¼
Seaboard Air Line, pfd	47⅜
Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron	48½
Southern Pacific	111
Southern Railway	29⅜
Southern Railway, pfd	81¼
Tennessee Copper	40¾
Texas and Pacific	24½
Union Pacific	171⅞
Union Pacific, pfd	91¼
United States Realty	80
United States Rubber	57⅜
United States Steel	74⅝
United States Steel, pfd	114⅛
Utah Copper	63¼
Virginia-Carolina Chemical	46½
Wabash	4⅛
Wabash, pfd	13½
Western Maryland	54⅜
Western Union	77⅝
Westinghouse Electric	81
Wheeling and Lake Erie	9

THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, Nov. 19.—Money on call, firm, 4½@6 per cent.; ruling rate, 5⅜; closing bid, 4½; offered at 4⅝. Time loans, easier; sixty days, 6 per cent.; ninety days, 5¾; six months, 5¼@5½. Prime mercantile paper, 6 per cent. Sterling exchange, heavy, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.8080 for sixty day bills, and at 4.85 for demand. Commercial bills, 4.80½; bar silver, 62¾; Mexican dollars, 48¾. Government and railroad bonds, steady.

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B. R. LACY,
State Treasurer.

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THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.

Nov. 20, 1912.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M. yesterday:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 45 degrees; at 8 P. M., 55 degrees; maximum, 65 degrees; minimum, 40 degrees; mean, 52 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall for the month, to date, .00.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river, at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M., yesterday, 3.1 feet.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina and South Carolina: Fair Wednesday and Thursday.

Port Calendar—Nov. 20.

Sun rises ..... 6:50 A. M.
Sun sets ..... 5:02 P. M.
Day's length ..... 10 hrs. 16 min.

Tides.

	High water.		Low water.	
	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.
Wilmington	6:37	6:34	12:13	1:24
Southport	4:06	4:25	10:29	10:44
Masonboro Inlet	3:35	3:56	10:00	10:15

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS

November 19, 1912.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature. Highest today.	Temperature. Lowest last night.	24-hour precipitation, 8 P. M.
Abilene	clear	68	38	.0
Asheville	clear	58	26	.0
Atlanta	clear	66	44	.0
Augusta	clear	68	32	.0
Birmingham	clear	66	38	.0
Boston	clear	48	26	.0
Charleston	clear	68	42	.0
Charlotte	clear	62	38	.0
Chicago	clear	60	40	.0
Galveston	pt cldy	62	54	.0
Jacksonville	clear	70	44	.0
Memphis	clear	66	46	.0
Mobile	cloudy	70	42	.0
Montgomery	clear	70	34	.0
New Orleans	cloudy	68	52	.0
New York	clear	50	30	.0
Oklahoma	clear	70	40	.0
Pittsburg	clear	56	38	.0
Raleigh	clear	62	38	.0
Savannah	clear	70	44	.0
Shreveport	clear	70	38	.0
St. Louis	clear	66	46	.0
Washington	pt cldy	60	28	.0

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MANIAC STARTS A REIGN OF TERROR

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Snively and the detectives in the room carried on a conversation with him.

"Why didn't you go down to the Southern Pacific and blow up the man you wanted?" he was asked.

"Well," he replied, thoughtfully, "I though the police could handle it better and I wanted to do a good job. I might have killed the wrong ones otherwise."

While the conversation was in progress several policemen and newspaper men passed through the room. A newspaper photographer even came in and took a picture of the man sitting on the chair with the infernal machine resting on his knee.

Davis finally asked that everybody be kept back.

RALEIGH NEWS NOTES

Special Term of Court—Charters—Poe Mentioned for Cabinet

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 19.—Governor Kitchin made an order today for a special term of criminal court in Guilford county to convene December 16th for one week, Judge Whedbee presiding.

Charters were issued today for four new enterprises. They follow: The Rosemary Banking and Trust Co., of Rosemary, Halifax county, capital $100,000 authorized and $12,000 subscribed by H. C. Irwin, J. E. Buck and others.

The Hanby's Creek Telephone Co., of Thomasville, capital $10,000 authorized and $300 subscribed by J. D. Carter, A. L. Bowers and others.

The Spencer Merchant's Association, Inc., of Spencer, capital $7,500 subscribed by C. H. Morrison, H. P. Brandiss and others for promoting the mutual interests of the merchants of Spencer.

The Belhaven Grain and Commission Co., of Belhaven, capital $10,000 authorized and $1,000 subscribed by C. C. Smith and others.

There is much interest here in the reported likelihood of the portifolio of the United States Department of Agriculture going to Editor Clarence H. Poe, of the Progressive Farmer, when President Wilson comes to make up his cabinet. A recent item in the Washington, D. C., Times on this subject is read with general approval. The Herald, after dismissing as improbable reports that Dr. Wiley might get the secretaryship of the Department of Agriculture, and pointing out that Dr. Wiley, being purely a chemist, might be assigned to a health department if there were such a position, says: "A man who may get the place is Clarance H. Poe, of Raleigh, N. C., editor of The Progressive Farmer, one of the largest farm journals in the country, and the largest in the South. Poe is the man who has educated the South to appreciate the importance of the Department of Agriculture and, in fact, got the South stirred up to an understanding of its great importance before the North paid much attention to it."

FOREST FIRES IN ROBESON

Corn Fields Reported Destroyed—Subpoenas From Fayetteville

(By Long Distance Telephone)

Lumberton, N. C., Nov. 19.—Great damage is reported to have been done by forest fires a few miles north of Lumberton today. The corn crop which had not been gathered on Mr. George P. McLeod's place was saved only by the combined efforts of many who were attracted by the smoke. One large field of corn in the path of the fire is reported to have been practically ruined. The fire is thought to have originated from a passing log train on the Beaufort County Lumber Company's Railroad.

Quite a commotion was created here this evening when an officer began summoning several Lumberton men to appear before the grand jury in Fayetteville tomorrow. There are many conjectures as to what is up, but one thing is certain there are some nervous married and single men in Lumberton tonight. One is reported to have had urgent business in South Carolina.

This was pay day with the Yadkin River Power Co., here and as a result a large amount of gold coin in which the company pays off, is in circulation.

METHODIST CONFERENCE ENDS

Report of Board of Missions at Lynchburg Shows Large Collections

Lynchburg, Va., Noc. 19.—The annual session of the Virginia Methodist Conference, which began here last Wednesday, ended late this afternoon after the annual appointments. The last business was the report of the Board of Missions, which showed collections last year amounting to $142,000 for home and foreign work. Of this, $90,000 was raised through the churches, the remainder being from women's and children's work. This eclipses all missionary offerings of this conference and it is said it will be the largest report in Southern Methodism this year. The conference meets next year in Danville.

Only a Fire Hero,

but the crowd cheered, as, with burned hands, he held up a small round box. "Fellows!" he shouted, "this Bucklen's Arnica Salve I hold has everything beat for burns." Right! also for boils, ulcers, sores, pimples, eczema, cuts, sprains, bruises. Surest pile cure. It subdues inflammation, kills pain. Only 25 cents, at R. R. Bellamy's.

(Advertisement.)

IF YOU HAVE MONEY TO INVEST

Write or call to see us. A part of the business of this bank is to direct the investment of money. We have some high-class County and School Bonds, yielding 5 per cent interest, payable semi-annually by coupons. These can be supplied without premium and we recommend them.

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GREENSBORO SCHOOLS.

Will be Preparatory Grades—Mrs. McAdoo Asks for Alimony.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Greensboro, N. C., Nov. 19.—That children who are sick at the opening of the city schools or that those who arrive in the city after the session opens may not be forced to wait a full year before entering, the City Commissioners are now investigating the advisability of a preparatory grade with an extra teacher and extra class for the late as well as backward children. The agitation was the result of a complaint by John Hopkins, a resident, who has two children, 12 and 13 years, respectively. At the opening of the schools the mother was desperately ill, dying about two weeks ago. The children have never been to school, though they know their A. B. C.'s. They are anxious to go to school and he is anxious that they have an education. School Superintendent Mann and the commissioners, too, are anxious that something be done, all desiring that no child in the city go without the advantages of the public schools. Supt. Mann advocates the plan of an extra teacher who would give entire time to preparing children to enter the first or second grade on the following year.

Action in a special court proceeding to come before Judge Whedbee in December has been started whereby Mrs. Mary Kellem McAdoo seeks to have a court set aside a certain part of the estate of her husband, Thomas J. McAdoo, for the support of herself and child pending litigation for an absolute divorce. In her petition Mrs. McAdoo alleges that her husband is worth $50,000 and more, naming property in the city as corroborative. In the second proceedings it is also alleged that the husband has conveyed a part of this property to a brother in order to evade the rights of the wife and child.

In her petition for alimony Mrs. McAdoo alleges that a few years after marriage and about four years ago she went to Union, S. C., for a visit to her parents. Returning she went to her home here and was refused admission, alleging, too, that Victor McAdoo, a brother-in-law, ejected her from the premises and put her on a train going back to South Carolina. Since then she has not been granted admission to the McAdoo home.

In the allegations filed up to the present stage in the proceedings there is an intimation of sensational disclosures to come. The McAdoo family is one of the oldest and wealthiest of the city. Mrs. McAdoo, during her residence here, was prominent in musical circles, being especially talented and possessing a voice of rare sweetness and clearness. She was a member of the Presbyterian church choir and frequently sang the offertoires in other churches of the city. Upon her last return, however, the stewards of West Market Methodist church declined to let her sing in that choir because of the prospective divorce proceedings.

DUNN NEWS NOTES.

Series of Meetings—Sales and Yields of Cotton—Other Notes.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Dunn, N. C., Nov. 19.—Rev. V. R. Gaskins, of Antioch, N. C., closed a week's series of meetings at the Presbyterian church at this place Sunday. Much good was obtained from his sermons, and were very much enjoyed by the town and congregation.

Congressman Godwin, who has reached that distinction that no one will run against him in his district, is around home now, looking after his farm, and resting up preparatory to the reconvening of Congress. He is very much interested in farm work, and watches the farmers with great care. His district is composed largely of farming interests and as he was raised on the farm, and the son of a farmer, he is familiar with most of their needs and wants.

No scrambles for office has come to the surface here, as yet, the postoffice is the best place, and owing to the fact that it is more than a year before the term expires, no active aspirants have come on the scene. At the proper time they will appear in shape-groomed and in good running order.

Messrs. Hood & Grantham are opening up a new drug store on East Broad street, known as the Annex Pharmacy. Mr. W. C. DuPree and Paul Hood will have charge of the business, both young men with drug experience.

Mrs. Effie C. Harper, had the misfortune of falling from the porch door Friday night, breaking her hip and fracturing her left arm. She was holding a position with the Barnes & Holliday Company, of this place, up to the time of the accident, and was assistant postmistress at Benson, N. C., under the Cleveland administration, and held a similar appointment under Postmaster Wilson here.

Mr. C. P. Godwin, who farms with Mr. G. K. Grantham near town, tried his luck on an acre of cotton this year, and has picked 3,800 pounds of seed cotton from the piece. The seed were of the Cleveland big boll kind, planted in five-foot rows. The land was coated in compost and stable manure, 1,000 pounds of high grade fertilizer was used, 100 pounds of nitrate of soda, and two top dressings of cerialite. The cotton overaged about five feet in height.

The cotton market still continues good here. There has been sold up to date 11,700 bales on this market. The biggest day of the season was 502 bales.

SHOOTS HIMSELF IN HEART.

Maury R. Jordan, Well Known Lumberman, Commits Suicide.

Lynchburg, Va., Nov. 19.—Maury R. Jordan, secretary-treasurer of the Menefee Jordan Lumber Company, of this city, who was well known in the Southern Wholesale Lumber Trade, committed suicide this afternoon by shooting himself in the heart. He was 30 years old and leaves a wife. Ill health is given as the probable cause of suicide.

DIED

GAY—At the family residence, Leland, N. C., Tuesday 4 A. M., November 19th, JOHN W. GAY, in the 48th year of his age.

The funeral will be conducted this (Wednesday) afternoon at 2 o'clock, from the residence, under the auspices of the Royal Arcanum.

(Advertisement.)

ARTILLERY DUEL CONTINUES

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for talking is past. The conversations with the Servians—if there still be a government at Belgrade—rapidly are drawing to an unsatisfactory close. Servia will have it in her power for a couple of days longer to offer apologies and make amends for her breach of international law, but after the lapse of that brief delay the Austro-Hungarian government will deliberately proceed to enforce rights which even uncultured peoples respect, and vindicate the National honor from a wanton affront that startled into jealous watchfulness all parties of the Austro-Hungarian Nation.

"If contrary to reasonable expectation Servia grows obstinate, the next step will be to dispatch a summary note in the nature of an ultimatum, setting forth the grievance and demanding speedy redress."

Assent to Turkey's Proposal

Sofia, Nov. 19.—The allied Balkan nations today assented to the Turkish proposal to discuss the terms of an armistice and eventual peace.

It is understood that the terms of the allies for an armistice are moderate and that Turkey may save Constantinople if she accepts them. Respecting Albania, it is said, in well-informed quarters that the Balkan League, politically, will not object to that country remaining under the suzerainity of the Sultan and that the powers will acquiesce in this.

Bulgaria's Conditions

Sofia, Nov. 19.—Bulgaria's conditions for agreeing to an armistice were transmitted to Constantinople early this morning.

They were accompanied by Bulgaria's main conditions for the conclusion of peace, the principal stipulation of which permits Turkey to retain the city of Constantinople and a strip of coast territory in Europe.

DESCRIBES LABOR CONDITIONS.

"Citizen With Important Evidence" Testifies at Dynamite Trial.

Indianapolis, Nov. 19.—Labor conditions in Kansas City, Mo., where W. Bert Brown, business agent of a local iron workers union, is alleged to have conspired with James B. McNamara to have a bridge across the Missouri river blown up and to induce a barber to do dynamiting at Los Angeles, were described at the trial of the 45 alleged dynamite conspirators here today.

Charles Brown, who had been referred to by the government as a "citizen with important evidence," testified he became acquainted with McNamara in a barber shop and later having met the dynamiter on the Pacific coast, McNamara loaned him $50 with which to return to Kansas City.

That Eugene A. Clancy, San Francisco, and John J. McNamara talked about blowing up a Catholic cathedral, in course of construction in Indianapolis, was testified to by Patrick J. Dugan, a former Iron Workers' business agent. Dugan said he accompanied McNamara and Clancy when they went out to look at the cathedral. The explosion did not occur.

Edward Smythe and Jas. E. Ray, Peoria, Ill., among the 45 defendants, were taken to jail tonight because their bondsmen had surrendered them.

ATTACKS JOURNALISM.

Dr. W. L. Poteat Speaks at Virginia Baptist Association.

Petersburg, Va., Nov. 19.—An assault upon modern journalism by Dr. W. L. Poteat, president of Wake Forest College, North Carolina, in his sermon on "Conflicts With Christianity," tonight marked the close of the 89th annual convention of the Virginia Baptist General Association.

"Playing up the names of crime in type an inch high, giving vicious details of court proceedings from which courts have excluded boys, and carrying these details into the home," Dr. Poteat declared, "the modern newspaper drains the sewers of civilization and poisons the fountains of morality; and you hold your nose, but make no protest."

He said that science and conditions that can be changed by Christian sentiment are in conflict with Christianity. Dr. G. W. McDaniel, of Richmond, also addressed the closing session. The afternoon was given over to a "pastor's parliament," an open discussion of their work and methods by the Baptist ministers of the State. It was decided that when the association meets at Lynchburg next November to enlarge this feature and move it up on the programme to the earlier days of the session.

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For men who eat, smoke or drink too much, two tablets before going to bed will mean a clear head and cheerful disposition in the morning.

Fifty cents is all a large box of MI-O-NA stomach tablets costs at R. R. Bellamy's, and leading druggists everywhere. Write Booth's Mi-o-na, Buffalo, N. Y., for free trial sample.

(Advertisement.)

ARREST IN JOSEPHS CASE.

J. Frank Hickey Alleged to be Murderer of Little Boys.

Buffalo, N. Y., Nov. 19.—The arrest of J. Frank Hickey, at Whiting, N. J., and the presentation to the grand jury here of all the evidence gathered by the police of Lackawanna and Buffalo relating to the murder of seven-year-old Joseph Josephs were the principal developments in the case today. At the close of the grand jury hearing, Chief of Police Wilson, of Lackawanna, and District Attorney Wesley C. Dudley, left for Tombs River, N. Y., to take charge of Hickey.

They requested the arrest of Hickey because of an alleged similarity in the handwriting of a letter dated New York City, mailed at Whiting, N. J., and alleged to have been written by Hickey and the handwriting of the author of the postcards recently received by them.

Hickey was arrested in Whiting this morning at a colony for alcoholics where he arrived last week. He had been a patient there before, according to the authorities. He expressed surprise at his arrest. Although protesting his innocence, Hickey said that he was willing to waive extradition and go to Buffalo at once.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Bijou—Motion Pictures.
People's Savings Bank—Your Child.
St. John's Lodge—Emergent Communication.
American National Bank—A Matter of Common Cents.

Business Locals.

For Sale—Stocks.
Wanted—Position.
Wanted—Salesman.
For Sale—75 Acres Land.
For Rent—Furnished Rooms.
Young Lady—Wants Position.
Holland Nurseries—A Bargain.
A. G. Warren Ice Cream Co.—Cream.
For Sale—100 Acres Land and Dwelling.
The Holland Nurseries — Trees and Plants.

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Advertisements inserted under this head, One Cent per word for each insertion, but no advertisement taken for less than 25c. Additional words, more than 25, One Cent per word. Unless the advertiser has a regular account, all advertisements under this head are STRICTLY CASH IN ADVANCE, the amounts being too small to warrant a charge. The Star will send without charge, a Western Union Messenger to any address in the city for advertisements in this department upon request by 'Phone to No. 51. A Messenger will also call for telegrams for the Western Union Telegraph Company, or for notes or small packages to be delivered anywhere in the city. No charge for collecting the telegrams, but a small charge for strictly Messenger Service calls will be made, or telephone subscribers may at any time telephone their telegrams; bills rendered to suit the sender, daily, weekly or monthly. For this service, call "Western Union." But for advertisements, always call the Star office, No. 51. Copy for Business Locals cannot be taken over the telephone—but upon request Messenger will be dispatched to any part of the city for them.

EXPERIENCED young lady desires position as book-keeper in automobile garage or repair shop. Address "V," care Star. no20-6t*

PURE SWEET CREAM from N. C. Test Farm, daily, 70c. per quart. A. G. Warren Ice Cream Co., 20 N. Second street; 'phone 483. no20-1t*

FOR SALE—Thirty-four (34) shares National Wood Distilling Company Common Stock, at Par. Address P. O. Box 469, City. no20-4t*

WANTED—By a young man of experience, position at once as traveling salesman or clerk in store. Can give best references. Apply "C. W." care Star. no20-1t*

FOR RENT — Two double furnished rooms, for two gentlemen or married couple. Good table board; all modern conveniences; in nice location, only one block from post office. 309 Chestnut street, or 'phone 1212. no20-1t*

I HAVE 75 acres of land in Columbus county, near Freemans, I would like to sell or trade for city property. Apply A. B. H., 904 South Third street. no20-1t*

FOR SALE—100 acres of land, about 15 acres under cultivation; one 7-room dwelling house; good out buildings; near Baptist church and a good school. Apply to I. W. Harrelson, R. F. D., Winnabow, N. C. no20-3t

THIS IS TO notify the public that the name of the launch "John F. Bell," owned by the Swift Fertilizer Works, has been changed to the name of "Swift." R. W. Weeks, Captain. no20,27;de4,11-4t

WANTED—Salesman for high-grade line ciders and vinegars. Exclusive or side line. Liberal commissions, with weekly settlements. Fine opening for good man. References required. Burr Mfg. Co., Richmond, Va. no20,22,24-3t*

A BARGAIN for real estate. We have about 200 sycamores 12 to 15 feet, for sale at very attractive prices. The Holland Nurseries, Castle Hayne, N. C. no20-2t*

THE HOLLAND NURSERIES — Castle Hayne, N. C. Shade trees, roses, flowering shrubs, evergreens and fruit trees. Order now and let us set them out, too. We do proper planting for little extra charges. no20-6t*

OFFICE BOY WANTED — Between 14 and 17 years of age. Must know how to read and write. Apply Wynnwood Lumber Co. no19-2t

COUNTRY PRODUCE—Ship your produce to me on consignment. I guarantee highest market prices and prompt returns. Also chickens and eggs. Give me a trial and you will be satisfied. James E. Holton, 7 Princess street. no17-1mc*

WANTED—A small pony, well broken to saddle and harness. Must be thoroughly gentle and kind. Suitable for small children. No vehicle, saddle nor harness required. George T. Johnson. no19-3t

WANTED—Traveling salesmen; experience unnecessary; earn while you learn. Hundreds of good positions now open. Write for particulars. Bradstreet System, Rochester, N. Y. no19-2t*

ROOM AND BOARD offered in private home of two people. Large front room, with convenient, modern bath. Excellent table, with meal hours to suit. Prefer congenial couple. Address "Riverview," care Star. no19-3t

DRESSED CHICKENS, turkeys, etc. See our supply. We have the variety. Oysters fresh every day. Fancy fish roe, celery, lettuce, spinach and cranberries. All kinds of choice cuts beef, veal and pork. 'Phone 72. Palace Market. no19-1t

WOOD, WOOD, WOOD—Call 'phone 431 or see me at S. W. corner of Water and Chestnut streets, for all kinds of wood, hard and dry pine a specialty. Dry slab wood at present cut, split and delivered at $1.00 per load. M. H. Croom. no16-1t

SPECIAL — Sewed half-sole and heel, men's shoes, $1; ladies', 85c. Give us a trial. Price Bros. 'Phone 751. no16-6t

WANTED—To rent, cottage of five or six rooms, in good neighborhood. Would take part of house with good family. Prefer location between Dock and Red Cross, not further out than Fifth street. Address "C. X.," care Star. no13-6t* no21-1t

ICE FOR SALE—Apply to Wilmington Ice and Storage Co., No. 12 Dock street. 'Phone 123. no15-1w

WANTED—First class mill supply salesman to travel North and South Carolina. None but experienced and steady parties need apply. State amount of experience, territory previously traveled, and salary expected. Box 522, Norfolk, Va. no13-12t

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FOR SALE—Nice dray horse, wagon and harness for sale at a bargain. Apply to W. H. Plummer, The Orton Transfer Company. no17-3t

WANTED — Four unfurnished rooms, suitable for light-housekeeping, in good location. Give full particulars. Address Box 713, City. no17-6t

WANTED—Two finishers and ten laborers for concrete work in city. Apply Hanover Concrete Co., Room 10, Odd Fellows' Bldg. Office hours, 8 to 9 A. M. and 12 to 1 P. M. N. E. Gallagher, Mgr., 'Phone No. 920. no17-3t

FOR SALE—Practically new five-passenger Studebaker car, fully equipped, with extra tire, tubes, top, wind shield, tools, etc. Can be bought cheap. Address "J. C.," care Star. no17-6t

COUNTRY PRODUCE bought and highest market prices guaranteed. Also chickens and eggs. Prompt returns. Call on me when you bring anything to town. James E. Holton, 7 Princess street. no17-1m*

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A NEW LOT of horses and mules just received. Come and look them over. James J. Darby, Front and Orange. no10-12t

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WANTED—Men and women for government positions, $90 month; rapid advancement; annual vacations, short hours, no layoffs. Common education sufficient. Over 13,000 appointments coming. Influence unnecessary. Send postal immediately for full list of positions open. Franklin Institute, Dept. 288 W, Rochester, N. Y. no15,17,22,24,29; de1,6,8,13,15,20,22 27 29; ja3 5-10t*

COLD—COLD—COLD—Get warm by ordering your wood from Crumpler & Johnson. We handle all kinds of wood cut in any length, and prices to suit the purchaser. 'Phone number of 536, located back of Hardin's drug store. oc27-1m*

GUNS OF ALL MAKES — Remingtons, Ithacas, A. H. Fox, Parker, and L. C. Smith, at a bargain at Uncle Charles' Pawn Shop, 16 South Front street. Look for the yellow front. oc3-tf

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FOR SALE—At rare bargain for quick turn-over, E. M. F. Roadster, Model 1912. Going to be sold at once. Apply 114 Princess street, or 'phone 771. oc23-tf

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SEALED BIDS

Will be received until 10 o'clock, A. M., on November 27th, 1912, for the purchase of the lot owned by the City on the southwest corner of Fourth and Princess streets. Address all communications to Bernice C. Moore, Councilman of Public Safety, and mark "Bids for Purchase of Lot" on envelope.

Arrangements can be made to carry part of purchase money on time.

Lot fronts on Princess street about 73 feet and on Fourth street about 165 feet. BERNICE C. MOORE,
Councilman of Public Safety.

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Emergent communication this (Wednesday) evening at 8:15 o'clock, for the purpose of conferring the degree of FELLOW CRAFT. It is desired that all members attend.

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287 Bags Fancy Head Rice.
111 Bags Wheat Bran.
160 Bags C. S. Meal.
180 Bags C. S. Hulls.
27 Boxes Pork Strips.
31 Bags Plates.
62 Kegs Pigs' Feet.
41 Cans Sausage in Oil.

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New Arrivals

50 Bbls. New Mullets
300 Bales New No. 1 Alfalfa Hay
600 Bales New No. 1 Timothy Hay
300 Sacks Rice Straw
300 Sacks Wheat Bran
200 Sacks Wheat Middlings
200 Sacks Corn Chops
250 Sacks C. S. Meal
2000 Sacks Salt
600 Fish Kegs
500 Boxes Job Tobacco

—ALSO—

carry a full line of Snuff, Cigars, Cheroots, Cigarettes and Canned goods, all of which will be sold on a close margin

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